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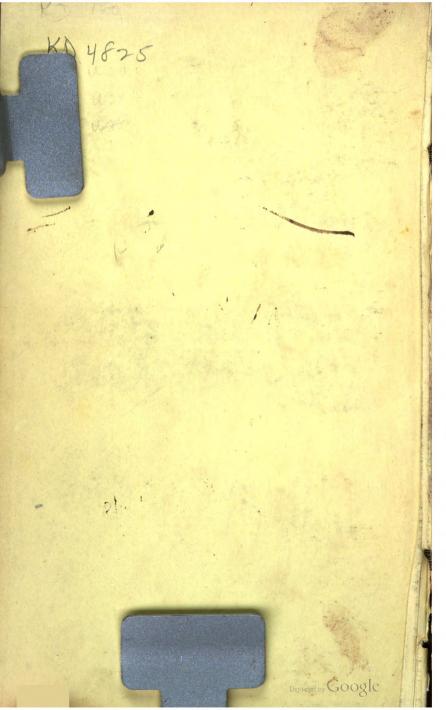
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PREFACE TO THE FIRST EDITION.

In the valuable "History of Eloquence in Greece and Rome" by Westermann, a convenient division into chronological periods is adopted. Each period is then subdivided into shorter portions. The first period brings the history of Greek eloquence down to the time of the Persian wars, and treats of various interesting topics, particularly of Homer and the popular institutions incidentally delineated in his poems. The second period extends to the death of Alexander the Great, and includes the most brilliant names that illustrate the history of Athenian eloquence. In the second subdivision of this period, which he calls the Spartan age, on account of the great influence which Sparta acquired by the result of the Peloponnesian war, he places Lysias, Isocrates, and Isaeus, although the life of Isocrates extended into the Macedonian epoch.

The father of Isocrates was a wealthy and respectable citizen of Athens, named Theodorus, who carried on the manufacture of flutes; † a circumstance that gave occasion to many satirical allusions by the comic poets of the

* Geschichte der Beredtsamkeit in Griechenland und Rom, nach den Quellen bearbeitet von Dr. Anton Westermann. Leipzig, 1863.

† Dionysius, Περὶ τῶν ἀρχαίων 'Ρητόρων, p. 534 seqq.

time. Isocrates was born in the deme of Erchia in the first year of the 86th Olympiad, or B. C. 436, in the archonship of Lysimachus, a little more than half a century before the birth of Demosthenes, and five years before the breaking out of the Peloponnesian war. He was, therefore, about seven years older than Plato. Besides Isocrates, Theodorus had two other sons, Telesippus and Diomnestus, and a daughter. The fortune of Theodorus, acquired by the manufacture of flutes, enabled him to secure for his sons the ablest teachers of the age, and Isocrates listened to the lessons of Tisias, Gorgias, Prodicus, and even of Socrates, He was also the friend and associate of Theramenes, whom he vainly endeavored to serve against the fury of Critias. But the natural timidity of the young man, and some physical disadvantages which he labored under, prevented him from engaging personally in the career of public life, which had such attractions for the ambitious spirits at Athens.

He accordingly devoted himself to the study of the theory of eloquence, and to the training of pupils, by teaching and writing, for the Assembly and the courts. It appears that his patrimony was diminished, like so many other estates of Athenian citizens, by the calamities of the Peloponnesian war; and one object he had in view was to repair these losses by the income derived from his business as a teacher of rhetoric. He first opened a school in Chios, where he had but nine pupils; but he is said to have assisted in the formation of a republican constitution for that state, on the model of that of Athens. After this unsuccessful attempt, he returned to his native

city, where the number of his pupils soon increased to one hundred; and his instructions gained him a large fortune and an extraordinary reputation. Besides teaching, he was employed, like many Greek rhetoricians, in writing discourses for others, for one of which he is said to have received the enormous sum of twenty talents.

The wealth of Isocrates exposed him to the usual burdensome offices to which the possessors of property at Athens were liable. He served the expensive liturgy of trierarch, B. C. 352, with great magnificence.

The private life of Isocrates was neither above nor below the average standard of morals in his age. He appears to have indulged in the pleasures and dissipation common among the Athenians of the time. When somewhat advanced, he married Plathane, the widow of Hippias the Sophist, and adopted her youngest son, Aphareus, who became an orator and a distinguished tragic poet.* Having spent many years in the laborious profession of a teacher of eloquence, he died a voluntary death immediately after the disastrous result of the battle of Chaeronea, B. C. 338.

"That dishonest victory

At Chaeronea, fatal to liberty,

Killed with report that old man eloquent."

The life of Isocrates extended over a period that embraced the most important events in the history of Athens. His youth and early manhood were passed amidst the scenes of the Peloponnesian war. He witnessed the es-

* According to Plutarch, Aphareus was the son of Isocrates by Plathane.

tablishment of the tyranny of the Thirty, and the triumphant restoration of the democracy by Thrasybulus. The romantic expedition of Cyrus the Younger, and the immortal retreat of the Ten Thousand, took place in the flower of his age. The death of his teacher, Socrates, by the atrocious sentence of a popular court, saddened his reflecting mind. With patriotic jealousy he watched the progress of the Spartan arms in Asia under Agesilaus, and shared in the hopes and the disappointments of the Corinthian war. He submitted impatiently to the Spartan supremacy; and he doubtless witnessed the sudden glory of Thebes, the brilliant exploits of Epaminondas, and the downfall of the ancient rival of Athens, without regret. When Philip became a prominent personage in Grecian politics, Isocrates was one of those who looked on him as the saviour of the country.

The opposition between the views of Isocrates and those of Demosthenes was remarkable. Demosthenes foresaw from an early period the danger to the liberties of Greece from the ambition of Philip, and engaged in a strenuous resistance, which tasked to the utmost the powers of his splendid oratory. But Isocrates felt that Philip had the power, and he gave him credit for the disposition, to unite the discordant and warring elements that disturbed the peace of the Grecian States, and to bend their concentrated forces upon the great enterprise of conquering the barbarian world. These hopes and this confidence were overthrown by the battle of Chaeronea, and the aged teacher refused to survive an event so disastrous to the independence of Greece. Demosthenes, the practical states-

man, was right. Isocrates, the theoretical rhetorician, was wrong; and it is one of the perversities of ancient politics, that both careers led to suicide.

From the quiet scene of his labors and studies, Isocrates saw passing before him, with startling rapidity and dramatic effect, the shifting scenes of Athenian fortunes. Perhaps these events of more than tragic interest turned his mind from the Sophistic subtilties in the midst of which he had been educated, to the serious, earnest, and ethical views of life, and of eloquence in its influence upon life, which are so profusely scattered over his works; for he was the first to apply the art of eloquence to public questions and the affairs of state. In his school were trained the most eminent statesmen, orators, and philosophers of his age. It was the resort of persons distinguished for birth and talents from every country where the civilization of Greece was known and honored. Even foreign princes corresponded with Isocrates, on terms of equality.

His manner of composition was precise and technical. We see in it the habits of the careful student, nicely adjusting and rounding off his periods; not neglecting the matter, yet over-scrupulous in respect to the manner. His Panegyric Discourse is said by some to have been ten years, by others fifteen, under his hand; and no one can read it without discerning the traces of scrupulous finish, which contrasts strikingly with the practical vigor and overpowering vehemence of Demosthenes. It would be a very useful exercise for the student of rhetoric to compare the styles of these two eminent masters, — each inimitable in his own way. Demosthenes was as careful

as Isocrates in the preparation which he expended upon his orations; but the necessity of addressing a living multitude forced him to mould his speech into those forms of pointed cogency, crystal clearness, and adamantine strength, to which no orator of modern times, perhaps, has approached so near as Webster. Isocrates, on the other hand, intent upon the rhythm of his sentences and the balance of his antithetical clauses, sometimes trains his constructions to such a length that it would have been equally difficult for the speaker to deliver them without breaking down, and for an audience to hear them without losing part of the sense. Nowhere is the difference between the practical statesman and orator and the philosophical rhetorician more instructively exhibited.

But the language of Isocrates is the purest Attic; and his composition is an exquisite specimen of the artificial and elaborate kind. "His diction," says Dionysius, "is no less pure than that of Lysias, and it employs no word carelessly;.....it avoids the bad taste * of antiquated and far-fetched phrases." However unsuited to public delivery, to the reader it is clear, elegant, and delightful. It is select, carefully formed, polished to a high degree; and though at times richly ornamented, is also at times beautifully simple; but it is rarely concise and forcible. His merits were discerned by the principal critics of ancient times. The most formal examination of them is that by Dionysius of Halicarnassus, to which may be added the observations in the sketch of his life and character by Plutarch. Plato, in the Phaedrus, makes Socrates speak of

^{*} ἀπειροκαλίαν.

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him as a young man of high promise. Cicero, Quintilian, Lucian, Pausanias, Aelian, Philostratus, Photius, Suidas, and even Eustathius, have touched upon his works with more or less minuteness. His moral sentiments are generally elevated, and, however mistaken he may have been in some of his opinions, the patriotic spirit of his writings is unquestionable.

There were sixty orations in antiquity that bore the name of Isocrates; but only twenty-eight of them were recognized as genuine by Caecilius, a critic in the age of Augustus. Twenty-one have been preserved. Besides these, we have the titles and some fragments of twenty-seven more. There are also ten letters written to his friends on political subjects, one of which, the tenth, is pronounced spurious. The title and a few fragments of a Theory of Eloquence (Τέχνη ἡητορική) have been preserved.

The twenty-one discourses now extant may be thus classified: —

- 1. Three Paraenetic orations, or discourses written for the purpose of giving advice, resembling the moral epistle. One of these is addressed to Demonicus, and two to Nicocles, the son of Evagoras, prince of Cyprus.
- 2. Five Deliberative orations (συμβουλευτικοί): the Panegyricus, those addressed to Philip and to Archidamus, the Areopagiticus, and that on the Peace.
- 3. Four Encomia: on Evagoras, Helen, Busiris, and the Panathenaicus.
- 4. Eight Judicial discourses: the Plataicus; on Exchange of Estates; a pleading for the son of Alcibiades; the Trapeziticus, against Pasion the banker, on a question

of deposit; the Paragraphicus; Aegineticus; against Lochites; defence of Nicias.

5. A discourse against the Sophists.

These are all interesting and important, as illustrating the age of Isocrates and his personal character. A few extracts from two or three of them, touching upon the latter point, may be allowed to complete the biographical notice given in the preceding pages.

In the discourse to Philip he says: "I was the least fitted of all the citizens by nature to take part in public affairs; for I had not sufficient power of voice nor boldness enough to encounter a multitude, and to wrangle with the orators storming on the bema. But I claim the honor of intellectual ability and of a liberal education; wherefore I take it upon myself to advise, in the way that suits my nature and my talent, both the city and the other Greeks and the most illustrious men."

In the Panathenaicus he says: "I have had my share of the greatest blessings that all men would pray to receive. In the first place, I have had health of body and of mind in no common measure, but to such a degree as to rival those who have been most fortunate in each of these respects. In the next place, I have had an affluence of the means of living, so as never to be deprived of any reasonable gratification that a man of sense would desire. Then I have never been overlooked or neglected, but have always ranked among those whom the most accomplished Greeks thought and spoke of as persons of character and influence. All these blessings have been mine, some superabundantly, others sufficiently." He then proceeds to point out cir-

cumstances in his lot which made him sometimes querulous and peevish.

Near the beginning of the oration, he states that, when he began it, he was ninety-four years old; and towards the conclusion, he says that, when the composition was about half written, he was seized with a violent illness, which he "passed three years in combating"; that he was then persuaded by the urgency of friends, to whom he had read portions of it, to attempt its completion. He resumed the work, as he says, when he wanted but three years of a hundred, and in such a state of health as would have prevented anybody else, not only from attempting to write a discourse, but even from listening willingly to the discourse of another.

The oration on the Antidosis, or Exchange of Estates, contains valuable personal notices. The antidosis was a technical proceeding, by which the Attic law allowed a person on whom a costly liturgy had been imposed to call upon another citizen, whose estate he believed to be greater than his own, either to assume the office or to exchange estates. On one occasion, a person, Lysimachus probably, tendered to Isocrates the antidosis, and he, as the least of two evils, served the liturgy, and appears to have done it in a magnificent style. The discourse was composed many years after, in the form of a defence in a fictitious trial. Schöll commits an error, when he says that Isocrates pronounced it in defending himself against Lysimachus.

He begins by stating that he had been exposed to many calumnies from the Sophists, which he had disregarded; but when far advanced in life, an exchange of estates had been tendered to him upon the trierarchy, and his opponent made such statements in regard to his wealth that he was compelled to take upon himself the burden. He was then led to reflect upon the best method of refuting these injurious misrepresentations, and of setting his character, life, and pursuits in a true light before his contemporaries and future generations. "Upon mature consideration," he says, "I found I could effect this purpose in no other manner than by writing a discourse which should be, as it were, an image of my mind and life; for I hoped that by this means my character and actions would be best understood, and that the discourse itself would remain a much more honorable memorial than tablets of brass..... With these views I set about the composition of the present discourse, not in the full vigor of my powers, but at the age of eighty-He says of himself: "I have so lived during the time that is past, that no one, either in the oligarchy or the democracy, has charged upon me any insolence or wrong, and no arbitrator or dicast has ever been called to sit in judgment upon my conduct."

He then describes himself as keeping aloof from political affairs, from courts of law, from assemblies, from the arbitrators, and contrasts his own habits with those of his enemies, who haunted every place of public resort, and intermeddled with suits and prosecutions of every kind. He states that he has written, not upon the common business of man with man, but upon subjects of general importance,—
"Hellenic, political, and panegyrical discourses," which rank, as works of art, with those compositions which are embellished with music and rhythm; that many desired to become his disciples, thinking that thus they might make

themselves wiser and better men. He then reviews his principal compositions, giving passages from the Panegyricus, the discourse on Peace, and the address to Nicocles. "These," says he, "having been written and published, I acquired great reputation and received many pupils, not one of whom would have remained with me, had they not found me to be such as they had supposed. And now, when there have been so many, some of whom have lived with me three years, not one will be seen to have found any fault with me; but at the end of the time, when they were about to sail home to their parents and friends, they were so attached to their residence, that they took their departure with a heavy heart and with tears." He then enumerates the pupils and friends who had received golden crowns from the city on account of their public merits; and, in fact, all the important circumstances and relations of his life are minutely described, so that the discourse answers the purpose he intended, of conveying an image of himself to posterity.

The Panegyricus has been selected for publication, partly because it is an excellent specimen of the best manner of Isocrates, and partly because, by its plan, it presents a review of the history of Athens from the mythical ages down to the period following the treaty of Antalcidas. It is a convenient work to make the text-book for lessons in Greek history, affording a central point around which to assemble the leading events.

The date of the Panegyricus has been discussed and differently settled by different scholars. The events al-

luded to in the discourse itself of course furnish the means of deciding this point approximately, but not exactly. The number of years during which Isocrates kept the work in his hands makes it uncertain whether these allusions to historical facts of his time are made with reference to the moment of writing the respective passages, or to the time of publication. Setting this element of uncertainty aside from the calculation, we may assume that the Panegyricus appeared about B. C. 380, since he speaks of the Cyprian war "being already in its sixth year," and that began B. C. 386. Of course it must have been published before the end of the war, B. C. 376, and the death of Evagoras; since there is no hint in the discourse of either of these events. This is the utmost limit. If the date assumed is correct, Isocrates finished the oration at the age of fifty-five or fifty-six. It was published in the time of the Spartan supremacy, which lasted from the peace of Antalcidas, B. C. 387, to the battle of Leuctra, B. C. 371, - and about twenty years before the name of Philip of Macedon began to be heard of in Greece.

The object of the Panegyricus is the vindication of the Athenian claim to supremacy, and the reconciliation of the Greeks, particularly Sparta and Athens, for the purpose of assailing the Persians with their united forces.

After the introductory remarks upon the nature of the subject, — upon its having been often handled before, and the orator's own ideas upon the proper manner of treating it, — he proceeds to maintain the claims of Athens to the supremacy, on the ground of the antiquity of the

city, and the purity of the origin of the Athenians; then on the score of what Athens has done towards adorning, cultivating, and embellishing life; her services in founding colonies; her laws and institutions; her hospitality, and the liberal manner in which she has conducted herself towards other states; her elegant festivities and shows, in which genius was cultivated and honored; and her pursuit of literature, especially of eloquence and philosophy.

He then passes on to her history, beginning with the mythical ages, Adrastus, the Heracleidae, the wars with the Scythians, Thracians, Amazons, Persians. He touches lightly upon the Trojan times, but is especially emphatic upon the wars with Darius and Xerxes, in which the Spartans and Athenians were rivals. The Athenian preeminence was acknowledged then, and this fact is an argument in support of their present claim to the hegemony.*

In the next place, he considers the conduct of the Athenians in administering their power, — their leniency, and their care for the safety of the allies, as contrasted with the oppression and cruelty of the Lacedaemonians, which have led to great disorders and disasters among the Greek states.

He then points out the folly of the Greeks in contending among themselves, when they might gain such advantages by uniting against the Persians; describes the

* The term ἡγεμονία, which occurs very often in Greek historical writers, and in the orators, is rendered *primacy* by Mr. Grote, in his admirable History of Greece.

weakness of the Persians, and the proofs and sources of it; speaks of the natural hostility of the Greeks against the Barbarians, the reasons that encourage the Greeks to war, especially the favorable circumstances of the times, the state of Persia, and the necessity of such a union among the Greeks, in order to compose their own discords.

Finally, he argues that the Greeks should set their minds upon the prosperity they may transfer from Asia, and that they who have the power must study to reconcile the Spartans and Athenians. The orators are exhorted to renounce the petty subjects which now occupy them, and to expend their rivalries on this, which is by far the most important interest to which their attention can be directed.

It is unnecessary to sketch the plan and argument of this discourse in greater detail, as the main heads are dwelt upon at considerable length in the notes.

The text of the present edition is that of Bremi, in the Bibliotheca Graeca. Dobson, Becker, Spohn, Coray, and Rauchenstein have been consulted, and a variety of books have been drawn upon for the materials of illustration. The most important of these are Thirlwall and Grote's Histories of Greece, and Hofmann and Wachsmuth's works on the Political and Historical Antiquities of the Greeks.

C. C. FELTON.

CAMBRIDGE, July, 1847.

PREFACE TO THE THIRD EDITION.

I HAVE undertaken the revision of the notes to this edition of the Panegyricus, in compliance with a request of the late President Felton. Several months before his death, he decided to prepare a new edition, and desired me to add such grammatical or other notes as I might think expedient. His sudden death occurred before the work was begun, but I have still thought it my duty to comply with his request, so far as I was able. interpreted his wishes by my former experience in revising the notes to his second edition of the Birds of Aristophanes, in which I was able constantly to refer to his taste and judgment. His own copy of the Panegyricus contained a few additions and corrections, chiefly verbal, all of which are included in the present edition. will also be found distributed through the notes a set of references to my "Syntax of the Moods and Tenses of the Greek Verb," which had been prepared for this purpose at Mr. Felton's request. These references are marked by the letter G. All notes which I have added myself, including even parts of sentences which materially affect the sense, are enclosed in brackets. I have omitted nothing, except occasionally a note which was rendered unnecessary by something newly added, or one which I knew that President Felton would have omitted if he had revised the notes himself. The historical notes will generally be found unaltered, except where references to Grote's History of Greece have been added, or where quotations have been given instead of citations.

W. W. GOODWIN.

HARVARD COLLEGE, December, 1863.

THE PANEGYRICUS OF ISOCRATES.

A. CORAË PRÆFATIO

AD PANEGYRICUM.

Οὖτός ἐστιν ὁ περιβόητος Πανηγυρικὸς λόγος, ὡς μέν τινες, δέκα, ώς δὲ ἔτεροι, πεντεκαίδεκα γραφείς ἔτεσιν Ἰσοκράτει. Καὶ ἡ μὲν έπιγραφή του γένους των έπιδεικτικών αυτύν είναι δηλοί . 'Αθηναίους γάρ εγκωμιάζει, καὶ πολύς έστιν εν τοῖς τούτων επαίνοις, πολύ προέχειν Λακεδαιμονίων προθυμούμενος επιδείξαι τούς αύτου πολί- 5 τας ο φιλόπατρις ρήτωρ. Ἐγκατέμιξε δὲ τῷ λόγῳ οὐκ ὀλίγον καὶ τὸ συμβουλευτικόν παραινεί γάρ αὐτοίς τε καὶ τοίς Ελλησιν ἄπασι, διαλυσαμένοις τον πρός άλλήλους πόλεμον, και παυσαμένοις τής άκαίρου φιλονεικίας, κοινή στρατεύσαι έπλ τον βάρβαρον. Διο καλ ό Κικέρων παραινετικόν αὐτόν ὀνομάζει. Καὶ φησίν Αίλιανός, ὅτι 10 τούτου τοῦ λόγου εἰς Μακεδονίαν ελθοῦσα ἡ φήμη πρώτον μεν Φίλιππον επί την 'Ασίαν ανέστησεν, εκείνου δε τελευτήσαντος, πρίν η πέρας επιθείναι τοίς βεβουλευμένοις, τὸν υίὸν Αλέξανδρον. τιώνται δ' Ισοκράτην πολλά μετενεγκείν είς τον Πανηγυρικών έκ τῶν Γοργία τε καὶ Λυσία περὶ τὴν αὐτὴν ὑπόθεσιν σπουδασθέντων. 15 Καὶ τοῦ μὲν τῷ Λυσία γραφέντος ἐπιταφίου λόγου εὑρίσκεσθαί τινα καὶ ἐν τῷ Πανηγυρικῷ Ἰσοκράτους οὐκ ἔστιν ἀρνήσασθαι · τοῦ δὲ τῷ αὐτῷ Λυσία γεγραμμένου 'Ολυμπιακοῦ λόγου μικρὸν πάμπαν περιλέλειπται τεμάχιον, παρά Διονυσίω τω Αλικαρνασσεί σωζόμενον, ώς οὐχ οἶόν τ' εἶναι έξ ἐκείνου τὸν Ἰσοκράτην εὐθύνειν. Τὸν δὲ 20 παραπλησίως επιγραφόμενον καὶ μηκέτι σωζόμενον 'Ολυμπιακόν Γοργίου είκὸς οῦτω γεγράφθαι, ωσπερ καὶ τὸ σωζόμενον αὐτοῦ τῆς

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Έλένης εγκώμιον, τουτέστιν είς δγκον ποιήσει μάλλον ή πεζφ λόγφ πρέποντα έξηρμένον, ως φησιν ό δεινός των τοιούτων επιγνώμων Αριστοτέλης. Πρός τοῦτο τοίνυν τὸ τῆς Ελένης έγκωμιον ἀντιπαραβάλλων όπερ κατά ζήλον Γοργίου Ισοκράτης αντέγραψεν Ελένης 5 έγκωμιον, καίπερ οὐδε τοῦτο σοφιστικής περιεργίας ἀπηλλαγμένον παντάπασιν, οὐκ ἔστιν ὅστις αν τῶν καὶ κατὰ μικρὸν κριτικῆς ἐπιστήμης μετειληχότων του Γοργιακού μακρώ προέχειν ούχ δμολογήσειεν. Έστι δε τὸ τοιοῦτον παρά γε τοῖς εὖ φρονοῦσιν οὐ τάλλότρια σφετερίζεσθαι, άλλα τα τοις άλλοις έλλιπως ή και κακως 10 γραφέντα διασκευάζειν έπὶ τὸ βέλτιόν τε καὶ τελειότερον. Λέγω δὲ τοῦτο περί Γοργίου μόνον εάσθω γὰρ ὁ Λυσίας ἐν τῷ παρόντι. άλλως τε και των δοκιμωτάτων ύπάρχων ρητόρων, εί τινα των έκείνου μετενήνοχεν είς τον Πανηγυρικόν Ίσοκράτης, και μή πολλώ μάλλον κατά συνέμπτωσιν, περί των αὐτων έκείνω λέγων, τοίς αὐ-15 τοις ενθυμήμασιν ήναγκάσθη χρήσασθαι. " Οὐδὲν γὰρ κωλύει," φησίν ό Φώτιος Ισοκράτους ύπεραπολογούμενος, "παραπλησίων ανακυπτόντων πραγμάτων ταις δμοίαις εξεργασίαις χρησθαι και τοις ένθυμήμασιν, ούχ ύποβαλλόμενον τὰ ἀλλότρια, ἀλλά τῆς τῶν πραγμάτων αναβλαστανούσης φύσεως τοιαθτα, οία και τοις προλαβοθσι 20 προβαλομένη ἐπιδείκνυται."

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Πολλάκις έθαύμασα των τὰς πανηγύρεις συναγαγόντων καὶ τοὺς γυμνικοὺς ἀγῶνας καταστησάντων, ὅτι τας μεν των σωμάτων εὐεξίας ούτω μεγάλων δωρεών ηξίωσαν, τοις δ΄ ύπερ των κοινων ιδία πονήσασι καὶ τὰς έαυτῶν ψυχὰς οὕτω παρασκευάσασιν, ώστε καὶ τους 5 άλλους ώφελείν δύνασθαι, τούτοις (8) ούδεμίαν τιμήν άπένειμαν, ων είκος ην αυτούς μάλλον ποιήσασθαι πρόνοιαν · των μεν γαρ άθλητων δὶς τοσαύτην ρώμην λαβόντων, οὐδὲν ἂν πλέον γένοιτο τοῖς ἄλλοις, ένὸς δὲ άνδρὸς εὖ φρονήσαντος ἄπαντες ἃν ἀπολαύσειαν οἱ 10 βουλόμενοι κοινωνείν της έκείνου διανοίας.

Ού μην έπὶ τούτοις άθυμήσας είλόμην ραθυμείν, άλλ' ίκανον νομίσας άθλον έσεσθαί μοι την δόξαν την άπ αύτοῦ τοῦ λόγου γενησομένην ήκω συμβουλεύσων περί τε τοῦ πολέμου τοῦ πρὸς τοὺς βαρβάρους καὶ τῆς ὁμο- 15 νοίας της προς ήμας αυτούς, ούκ άγνοων, ότι πολλοί των προσποιησαμένων είναι σοφιστών έπι τοῦτον τον λόγον ώρμησαν, άλλ' άμα μεν ελπίζων τοσούτον διοίσειν, ίπολ

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ώστε τοις άλλοις μηδεν πώποτε δοκείν εἰρησθαι περ αὐτῶν, ἄμα δὲ προκρίνας τούτους καλλίστους είναι τῶν λόγων, οίτινες περί μεγίστων τυγχάνουσιν όντες καὶ τούς τε λέγοντας μάλιστ' έπιδεικνύουσι καὶ τοὺς ἀκού-5 οντας πλείστ' ώφελοῦσιν, ὧν εἶς οὖτός ἐστιν. ουδ οι καιροί πω παρεληλύθασιν, ώστ' ήδη μάτην είναι τὸ μεμνησθαι περὶ τούτων. Τότε γὰρ χρη παύεσθαι λέγοντας, όταν ή τὰ πράγματα λάβη τέλος καὶ μηκέτι δέη βουλεύεσθαι περὶ αὐτῶν, ἡ τὸν λόγον ἴδη τις ἔχον-10 τα πέρας, ώστε μηδεμίαν λελειφθαι τοις άλλοις ύπερ-Έως δ άν τὰ μεν όμοίως ωσπερ πρότερον φέρηται, τὰ δ εἰρημένα φαύλως έχοντα τυγχάνη, πῶς ού χρη σκοπείν καὶ φιλοσοφείν τοῦτον τον λόγον, ός, ην κατορθωθή, καὶ τοῦ πολέμου τοῦ πρὸς αλλήλους ις καὶ τῆς ταραχῆς τῆς παρούσης καὶ τῶν μεγίστων κακών ήμας απαλλάξει;

Προς δε τούτοις εἰ μεν μηδαμως ἄλλως οἰόν τ' ην δηλοῦν τὰς αὐτὰς πράξεις ἀλλ' ἡ διὰ μιᾶς ἰδέας, εἰχεν ἄν τις ὑπολαβεῖν, ὡς περίεργόν ἐστι τὸν αὐτὸν τρόπον ἐκείνοις λέγοντα πάλιν ἐνοχλεῖν τοῖς ἀκούουσιν ἐπειδὴ δ' οἱ λόγοι τοιαύτην ἔχουσι τὴν φύσιν, ὥσθ' οἶόν τ' εἶναι περὶ τῶν αὐτῶν πολλαχῶς ἐξηγήσασθαι, καὶ τά τε μεγάλα ταπεινὰ ποιῆσαι καὶ τοῖς μικροῖς μέγεθος περιθεῖναι, καὶ τὰ παλαιὰ καινῶς διελθεῖν καὶ περὶ τῶν νεωστὶ γεγενημένων ἀρχαίως εἰπεῖν, οὐκέτι φευκτέον ταῦτ' ἐστὶ, περὶ ὧν ἔτεροι πρότερον εἰρήκασιν, ἀλλ' ἄμεινον ἐκείνων εἰπεῖν πειρατέον. Αἱ

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Καίτοι τινὲς ἐπιτιμῶσι τῶν λόγων τοῖς ὑπερ τοὺς ἐδιώτας ἔχουσι καὶ λίαν ἀπηκριβωμένοις, καὶ τοσοῦτον διημαρτήκασιν, ὥστε τοὺς πρὸς ὑπερβολὴν πε- 15 πονημένους πρὸς τοὺς ἀγῶνας τοὺς περὶ τῶν ἰδίων συμβολαίων σκοποῦσιν, ὥσπερ ὁμοίως δέον. ἀμφοτέρους ἔχειν, ἀλλ' οὐ τοὺς μὲν ἀσφαλῶς, τοὺς δ' ἐπιδεικτικῶς, ἡ σφᾶς μὲν διορῶντας τὰς μετριότητας, τὸν δ' ἀκριβῶς ἐπιστάμενον λέγειν ὑπλῶς οὐκ ἃν 20 δυνάμενον εἰπεῖν. Οὖτοι μὲν οὖν οὐ λελήθασιν, ὅτι τούτους ἐπαινοῦσιν, ὧν ἐγγὺς αὐτοὶ τυγχάνουσιν ὄντες. Ἐμοὶ δ' οὐδὲν πρὸς τοὺς τοιούτους, ἀλλὰ πρὸς ἐκείνους ἔστι τοὺς οὐδὲν ἀποδεξομένους τῶν εἰκῆ λεγομένων, ἀλλὰ δυσχερανοῦντας καὶ ζητήσον- 25 τας ἰδεῖν τι τοιοῦτον ἐν τοῖς ἐμοῖς, οἷον παρὰ τοῖς ἄλλοις οὐχ εὐρήσουσιν. Πρὸς οὺς ἔτι μικρὸν ὑπὲρ

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έμαυτοῦ θρασυνάμενος ήδη περί τοῦ πράγματος ποιήσομαι τους λόγους. Τους μεν γάρ άλλους έν τοις προοιμίοις δρώ καταπραθνοντας τους άκροατάς, καὶ προφασιζομένους ύπερ των μελλόντων ρηθήσεσθαι, καὶ **δ λέγοντας τους μεν, ώς έξ υπογυίου γέγονεν αυτοις** ή παρασκευή, τους δ', ώς γαλεπόν έστιν ίσους τους λόγους τῷ μεγέθει τῶν ἔργων έξευρείν. Ἐγὰ δ' ην μη καὶ τοῦ πράγματος ἀξίως εἶπω καὶ της δόξης της έμαυτου και του χρόνου, μη μόνον του περί 10 τον λόγον ήμιν διατριφθέντος, άλλα και σύμπαντος ού βεβίωκα, παρακελεύομαι μηδεμίαν μοι συγγνώμην έχειν, άλλα καταγελαν και καταφρονείν · οὐδεν γαρ ο τι των τοιούτων ούκ αξιός είμι πάσχειν, είπερ μηδεν των άλλων διαφέρων ούτω μεγάλας ποι-15 ουμαι τὰς ὑποσχέσεις. Περὶ μὲν οὖν τῶν ἰδίων) ταθτά μοι προειρήσθω.

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Luider a. E Shti. ειλήφασιν. "Οστις οὐν οἴεται τοὺς ἄλλους κοινή τι 146 πράξειν ἀγαθόν, πρὶν ἃν τοὺς προεστῶτας αὐτῶν κερι διαλλάξη, λίαν ἀπλῶς ἔχει καὶ πόρρω τῶν πρα- οιι γμάτων έστίν. 'Αλλά δεί τον μη μόνον επίδειξιν το ποιούμενον, άλλα και διαπράξασθαί τι βουλόμενον και ... έκείνους τοὺς λόγους ζητεῖν, οἵτινες τὰ πόλη τούτω κο το το το το το το το πολη τούτω πείσουσιν ἰσομοιρήσαι πρὸς ἀλλήλας, καὶ τάς θ' ήγεμονίας διελέσθαι καὶ τὰς πλεονεξίας, ας νῦν πα- (?) ρὰ τῶν Ἑλλήνων ἐπιθυμοῦσιν αὐταῖς γίγνεσθαι, τα<u>ύτ</u>ας παρὰ τῶν βαρβάρων ποιήσασθαι. 👭 🚨 Τὴν μὲν οὖν ἡμετέραν πόλιν ῥάδιον προάγαγείν, Λακεδαιμόνιοι δε νύν μεν έτι δυσπείστως έχουσι · παρειλήφασι γάρ ψευδή λόγον, ώς έστιν αὐτοῖς ἡγεῖσθαι πάτριον ἡν δ ἐπιδείξη τις αὐτοῖς ταύτην την τιμην ήμετέραν οὖσαν μᾶλλον ἡ ἐκεί- 15 νων, τάχ αν εάσαντες το διακριβοῦσθαι περὶ τούτων ἐπὶ τὸ συμφέρον ἔλθοιεν. Ἐχρην μὲν οὖν καὶ τοὺς ἄλλους ἐντεῦθεν ἄρχεσθαι καὶ μὴ πρότερον περὶ τῶν ὁμολογουμένων συμβουλεύειν, πρὶν περὶ των αμφισβητουμένων ήμας εδίδαξαν εμοί δ οὐν 20 αμφοτέρων ένεκα προσήκει περὶ ταῦτα ποιήσασθαι την πλείστην διατριβήν, μάλιστα μεν ίνα προύργου τι γένηται καὶ παυσάμενοι τῆς πρὸς ἡμᾶς αὐτοὺς 🕂 🕂 φιλονικίας κοινή τοις βαρβάροις πολεμήσωμεν εί δε ωρ τοῦτ' ἐστὶν ἀδύνατον, ἵνα δηλώσω τοὺς ἐμποδὼν ὄν- 25 τας τη των Έλληνων εὐδαιμονία, καὶ πασι γένηται

φανερόν, ότι καὶ πρότερον ή πόλις ήμων δικαίως

της θαλάττης ήρξε καὶ νῦν οὐκ ἀδίκως ἀμφισβητεῖ της ήγεμονίας. Τοῦτο μεν γὰρ εἰ δεῖ τούτους ἐφ΄ έκάστω τιμασθαι τῶν ἔργων, τοὺς ἐμπειροτατους οντας καὶ μεγίστην δύναμιν έχοντας, αναμφισβητήτως ε ήμιν προσήκει την ήγεμονίαν απολαβείν, ήνπερ πρότερον έτυγχάνομεν έχουτες ούδεις γαρ αν έτέραν πόλιν επιδείξειε τοσούτον εν τῷ πολέμῳ τῷ κατὰ 🕹 🤇 γην ύπερεχουσαν, όσον την ήμετέραν έν τοις κινδύνοις τοις κατὰ θάλατταν διαφέρουσαν. Τοῦτο δ' 10 εἶ τινες ταύτην μὲν μὴ νομίζουσι δικαίαν εἶναι τὴν κρίσιν, άλλὰ πολλὰς τὰς μεταβολάς γίγνεσθαι (τὰς γὰρ δουαστείας οὐδέποτε τοῖς αὐτοῖς παραμένειν), άξιοῦσι δὲ τὴν ἡγεμονίαν ἔχειν ὥσπερ ἄλλο τι γέρας ή τους πρώτους τυχόντας ταύτης της τιμής ή 15 τους πλείστων αγαθών αιτίους τοις Ελλησιν όντας, ήγουμαι καὶ τούτους είναι μεθ' ήμων · ὅσφ γὰρ ἄν τις πορρωτέρωθεν σκοπή περὶ τούτων ἀμφοτέρων, τοσούτω πλέον ἀπολείψομεν τοὺς ἀμφισβητοῦντας. Ομολογείται μεν γάρ την πόλιν ημών άρχαιστά-20 την είναι καὶ μεγίστην καὶ παρὰ πασιν άνθρώποις

20 την είναι καὶ μεγίστην καὶ παρὰ πᾶσιν ἀνθρώποις ὀνομαστοτάτην οὕτω δὲ καλῆς τῆς ιξποθέσεως οὕσης, ἐπὶ τοις ἐχομένοις τούτων ἔτι μᾶλλον ἡμᾶς προσήκει τιμᾶσθαι. Ταύτην γὰρ οἰκοῦμεν οὐχ ἐτέρους ἐκβαλόντες οὐδ' ἐρήμην καταλαβόντες οὐδ' ἐκ πολλῶν 25 ἐθνῶν μιγάδες συλλεγέντες, ἀλλ' οὕτω καλῶς καὶ γνησίως γεγόναμεν, ὥστ', ἐξ ἡσπερ ἔφομεν, ταύτην ἔχοντες ἄπαντα τὸν χρόνον διατελοῦμεν, αὐτόχθονες 41.00

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ντες καὶ τῶν ὀνομάτων, τοῖς αὐτοῖς οἶσπερ τοὺς ἐκειοτάτους τὴν πόλιν ἔχοντες προσειπεῖν · μόνοις γὰρ ἡμῶν τῶν Ἑλλήνων τὴν αὐτὴν τροφὸν καὶ πατρίδα καὶ μητέρα καλέσαι προσήκει. Καίτοι χρὴ τοὺς εὐλόγως μέγα φρονοῦντας καὶ περὶ τῆς ἡγεμονίας δικαίως ἀμφισβητοῦντας καὶ τῶν πατρίων πολλάκις μεμνημένους τοιαύτην τὴν ἀρχὴν τοῦ γένους ἔχοντας φαίνεσθαι.

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πόλεμον κινδύνων, ἀλλὰ καὶ τῆς ἄλλης κατασκευῆς, ἱ
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ἡν ζῆν δυνάμεθα, σχεδὸν ἀπάσης αἰτίαν οὐσαν.
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πάλαι καὶ νῦν καὶ πανταχοῦ λεγομένας καὶ μνημονευομένας.

Πρώτον μεν τοίνυν, οῦ πρώτον ἡ φύσις ἡμῶν ἐδεήθη, διὰ τῆς πόλεως τῆς ἡμετέρας ἐπορίσθη καὶ γὰρ εἰ μυθώδης ὁ λόγος γέγονεν, ὅμως αὐτῷ καὶ νῦν 25) ρηθήναι προσήκει. Δήμητρος γὰρ ἀφικομένης εἰς τὴν χώραν, ὅτ' ἐπλανήθη τῆς Κόρης ἀρπασθείσης, καὶ

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προς τους προγόνους ήμων εύμενως διατεθείσης έκ τῶν εὐεργεσιῶν, ὰς οὐχ οἶόν τ' ἄλλοις ἡ τοῖς μεμύημένοις ακούειν, καὶ δούσης δωρερς, αίπερ μέγισται τυγχάνουσιν ούσαι, τούς τε καρπους, οδ του μη 5 θηριωδώς ξην ήμας αίτιοι γεγονασι, και την τελετημ ής οι μετασχόντες περί τε τής του βίου τελευτής καὶ τοῦ σύμπαντος αἰωνος ήδίους τὰς ἐλπίδας ἔχουσιν, ούτως ή πόλις ήμων ου μόνον θεοφιλώς, άλλα καὶ φιλανθρώπως έσχεν, ώστε κυρία γενομένη τοι-10 ούτων αγαθών ουκ έφθονησε τοις άλλοις, άλλ ών έλαβεν ἄπασι μετέδωκεν. Καὶ τὰ μεν έτι καὶ νῦν και έκαστον τον ένιαυτον δείκυυμεν, των δε συλλι λήβδην τὰς χρείας καὶ τὰς ἐργασίας καὶ τὰς ἀφελίας τὰς ἀπ' αὐτῶν γιγνομένας ἐδιδαξεν. Καὶ τούιε τοις απιστείν μικρών έτι προστεθέντων ούδεις αν άξιώσειεν.

Πρωτον μεν γαρ έξ ων αν τις καταφρονήσειε ί των λεγομένων/ώς ἀρχαίων ὅντων, ἐκ τῶν αὐτῶν τούτων εἰκότως αν καὶ τὰς πράξεις γεγενήσθαι νο-🕉 μίσειςν · δια, γαρ το πολλούς είρηκεναι καὶ μέν, πιστα τας (ακηκοέναι) προσήκει μη καινα δοκείν είναι τὰ λεγόμενα περὶ αὐτῶν. μόνον ἐνταῦθα καταφυγεῖν ἔγομεν, ὅτι οῦ παρειλήφαμεν, ἀλλὰ τουτοις ἔστιν ἡμίν χρήφήμην έκ πολλ ħ 25 καὶ σημείοις μείζοσιν σασθαι περὶ αὐτῶν. Αί μεν γαρ πλείσται των πόλεων ύπόμνημα της παλαιάς εύεργεσίας άπαρon account of the good deeds

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χὰς τοῦ σίτου καθ' έκαστου ένιαμτου ώς ήμας ἀποπέμπουσι, ταις δ' εκλειπούσαις πολλάκις ή Πυθία προσέταξεν αποφέρειν τὰ μέρη τῶν καρπῶν καὶ ποιείν πρὸς τὴν πόλιν τὴν ἡμετέραν τὰ πάτρια. Καίτοι περὶ τίνων χρη μαλλον πιστεύειν 5 ἡ περὶ ὧν δ΄ τε θεὸς ἀναιρεί καὶ πολλοίς τῶν Ἑλλήνων συνδοκεί, καὶ τὰ Φ πάλαι ῥηθέντα τοις παρούσιν έργοις συμμαρτυρεί, και τὰ νῦν γιγνό-; ομολογεί ; μενα τοις ύπ' έκείνων ειρημένοις, ρὶς δὲ τούτων, ἡν ἄπαντα ταῦτ ἐασαντες απὸ τῆς 10 άρχης σκοπώμεν τυρήσομεν ότι του βίου οί τοι φανέντες επί γης ούκ εύθυς ούτως ώσπερ νύν , κατέλαβου, άλλα κατά μικρου αυτοί συνε πορίσαντο. Τίνας οὖν χρη μᾶλλον νομίζειν, ἡ δῶ ρεαν παρά των θεων λαβείν, η ζητούντας αντους έντυχειν; Ού τους ύπο πάντων ομολογουμένους και πρώτους γενομένους ται πρός τε τὰς τέχνας εί φυεστάτους όντας καὶ πρὸς τὰ τῶν θεῶν εὐσεβέστατα διακειμένους; ι Καὶ μὴν ὅσης προσήκει τιμῆς τυγχάνειν τοὺς τηλικούτων αγαθών αἰτίους, περίερ-20 γου διδάσκειν. Ουδείς γαρ αν δύναιτο δωρεαν τοσαύτην τὸ μέγεθος εύρεῖν, ήτις ἴση τοῖς πεπραγμένοις ἐστίν Ҡ Περὶ μεν οὖν τοῦ μεγίστου τῶν εὐεργετη καὶ πρώτου γενομένου καὶ πᾶσι κο είπειν έχομεν. Περί δε τους αυτούς χρόνους όρω-

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<u>ένου</u>τας, τοὺς δ' Έλληνας εἰς μικρον τόπον ϊτακεκλειμένους και δια σπανίστητα της γης επιβουλεύοντάς τε σφίσιν αύτοις και στρατείας επ άλλήλους ποιουμένους, καὶ τοὺς μὲν δί 5 καθ' ήμέραν, τους δε διά τον πόλεμον απολλυμένους, ουδε ταῦθ' οὐτως έχοντα περιείδεν, άλλ' ήγεμόνας είς τὰς πόλεις εξέπεμψεν, ολ παραλαβόντες τους μάλιστα βίου δεομένους, στρατηγοί κάταστάναυτων καὶ πολέμω κρατήσαντες τους βαρβά-10 ρους, πολλάς μεν έφ έκατέρας της " έκτισαν, άπάσας δε τὰς νήσους κατώκισαν, ρους δέ, καὶ τοὺς ακολουθησαντας μείναντας, έσωσαν τοις μεν γάρ ικανη της ύπαρχούσης χώραν κατέλιπον, τοῖς δὲ πλείω το έπορισαν· άπαντα γὰρ περιεβάλοντο τον τόπον δν νῦν τυγχάνομεν κατέχοντες. √ Ωστε καὶ τοῖς ὕστερον Εβουληθείσιν αποικίσαι τινας και μιμήσασθαι την πόλιν την ήμετέραν πολλην ραστώνην εποίησαν ού γαρ αυτούς έδει κτωμένους χώραν διακινδυνεύ-20 ειν, άλλ' εἰς τὴν ὑφ' ἡμῶν ἀφορισθεῖσαν, εἰς ταύτην οἰκεῖν ἰόντας. Καίτοι τίς αν ταύτης ήγεμονίαν ἐπιδείξειεν ἡ πατριωτέραν τῆς πρότερον γενομένης πρίν τὰς πλείστας (οἰκισθήνας τῶν Ελληνίδων πόλεων, η μάλλον συμφέρουσαν της τους μεν βαρβά-25 ρους αναστάτους ποιησάσης, τους δ' Ελληνας είς

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Καὶ μὲν δὴ καὶ τῶν τεχνῶν τάς τε πρὸς τἀναγκαῖα τοῦ βίου χρησίμας καὶ τὰς πρὸς προνήν μεμη- χανημένας, τὰς μὲν εὐροῦσα, πὰς δὲ δοκιμάσασα θχρῆσθαι τοῖς ἄλλοις παρέδωκεν. Τὴν τοίνυν ἄλλην διοίκησιν σῶτω φιλοξένως κατεσκευάσατο καὶ πρὸς 25 ἄπαντας οἰκείως, κῶτε καὶ τοῖς χρημάτων δεομένοις καὶ τοῖς ἀπολαῦσὰι τῶν ὑπαρχόντων ἐπιθυμοῦσιν

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Προς δε τούτοις καὶ φιλίας εύρειν πιστοτάτας καὶ 16 συνουσίαις έντυχειν παντοδαπωτάταις μάλιστα παρ' ήμιν έστιν, έτι δε άγωνας ίδειν, μη μόνον τάχους καὶ ρώμης, άλλὰ καὶ λόγων καὶ γνώμης καὶ τῶν β ἄλλων έργων ἀπάντων, καὶ τούτων ἄθλα μέγιστα. Προς γὰρ οἰς αὐτὴ τίθησι καὶ τοὺς ἄλλους διδόναι 20 συναναπείθει τὰ γὰρ ὑφ' ἡμῶν κριθέντα τοσαύτην λαμβάνει δόξαν, ὥστε παρὰ πᾶσιν ἀνθρώποις ἀγαπασθαι. Χωρὶς δε τούτων αὶ μεν ἄλλαι πανηγύρεις διὰ πολλοῦ χρόνου συλλεγείσαι ταχέως διελύθησαν, ἡ δ' ἡμετέρα πόλις ἄπαντα τὸν αἰῶνα τοῦς 25 ἀφικνουμένοις πανήγυρίς ἐστιν.

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"Ινα δὲ μὴ δοκῶ περὶ τὰ μέρη διατρίβειν ὑπὲρ όλων των πραγμάτων ύποθέμενος μηδ' έκ τούτων εγκωμιάζειν την πόλιν απορών τὰ πρὸς τὸν πόλεμου αυτήν επαινείν, ταύτα μεν είρήσθω μοι προς τους έπὶ τοις τοιούτοις φιλοτιμουμένους, ήγοῦμαι δὲ 10 τοις προγόνοις ήμων ούχ ήττον έκ των κινδύνων τιμασθαι προσήκειν ή των άλλων εὐεργεσιών. Οὐ γαρ μικρούς οὐδ' ολίγους οὐδ' αφανείς αγώνας ύπεμειναν, άλλα πολλούς και δεινούς και μεγάλους, τους μεν ύπερ της αύτων χώρας, τους δ' ύπερ της 15 των άλλων έλευθερίας δπαντα γαρ τον χρόνον διετέλεσαν κοινήν την πόλιν παρέχοντες καὶ τοῖς αδικουμένοις αξὶ τῶν Ἑλλήνων ἐπαμύνουσαν. Διὸ δη καὶ κατηγοροῦσί τινες ήμων ώς οὐκ ὀρθώς βουλευομένων, ότι τους ασθενεστέρους είθίσμεθα θερα- 20 πεύειν, ώσπερ οὐ μετὰ τῶν ἐπαινεῖν βουλομένων ήμας τους λόγους όντας τους τοιούτους. Ου γαρ άγνοοῦντες δσον διαφέρουσιν αί μείζους των συμμαχιών πρὸς την ἀσφάλειαν ούτως έβουλευόμεθα περὶ αὐτῶν, ἀλλὰ πολὺ τῶν ἄλλων ἀκριβέστερον 25 ειδότες τὰ συμβαίνοντ' ἐκ τῶν τοιούτων ὅμως ἡρούμεθα τοις ἀσθενεστέροις καὶ παρὰ τὸ συμφέρον

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υς είκος ην επιμεληθήναι πλην τους προεστάναι ου Ελλήνων άξιουντας; "Επειτ' ούδε ψευσθέντες *πίνονται τῶν ἐλπίδων, δι' ἃς κατέφυγον ἐπὶ τοὺς* οογόνους ήμων. 'Ανελόμενοι γαρ πόλεμον ύπερ μεν ου τελευτησάντων προς Θηβαίους, ύπερ δε των 5 αίδων των Ήρακλέους προς την Εύρυσθέως δύναιν, τους μεν επιστρατεύσαντες ηνάγκασαν αποδούναι ίψαι τους νεκρους τοις προσήκουσι, Πελοποννησίων ε τους μετ' Ευρυσθέως είς την χώραν ήμων είσβαόντας ἐπεξελθόντες ἐνίκησαν μαχόμενοι κάκεῖνον τῆς 10 βρεως έπαυσαν. Θαυμαζόμενοι δε και δια τας άλας πράξεις, έκ τούτων των έργων έτι μαλλον εύδοίμησαν. Οὐ γὰρ παρὰ μικρὸν ἐποίησαν, ἀλλὰ τοοῦτον τὰς τύχας έκατέρων μετήλλαξαν, ώσθ' ὁ μὲν ceτεύειν ήμας αξιώσας βία των έχθρων απανθ' 15 σων έδεήθη διαπραξάμενος ἀπηλθεν, Ευρυσθεύς δὲ ιάσασθαι προσδοκήσας αυτός αιχμάλωτος γενόμενος εέτης ηναγκάσθη καταστήναι, καὶ τῷ μὲν ὑπερενεγόντι την ανθρωπίνην φύσιν, δς έκ Διος μέν γεγοώς, ἔτι δὲ θνητὸς ὢν θεοῦ ρώμην ἔσχε, τούτφ μὲν 20 πιτάττων καὶ λυμαινόμενος ἄπαντα τὸν χρόνον διεέλεσεν, επειδή δε είς ήμας εξήμαρτεν, είς τοσαύτην Γ ατέστη μεταβολήν, ώστ' έπὶ τοίς παισὶ τοίς έκείνου ιενόμενος επονειδίστως τον βίον ετελεύτησεν.

Πολλών δ' ύπαρχουσών ήμιν εὐεργεσιών εἰς την 25 τόλιν την Λακεδαιμονίων, περὶ ταύτης μόνης μοι τυμβέβηκεν εἰπειν· ἀφορμην γηρ λαβόντες την δι

ήμων αύτοις γενομένην σωτηρίαν οι πρόγονοι μεν των νῦν ἐν Λακεδαίμονι βασιλευόντων, ἔκγονοι δ 'Ηρακλέους, κατήλθον μεν είς Πελοπόννησον, κατέσχον δ' "Αργος καὶ Λακεδαίμονα καὶ Μεσσήνην, οἰs κισταὶ δè Σπάρτης ἐγένοντο, καὶ τῶν παρόντων άγαθων αυτοίς άπάντων άρχηγοί κατέστησαν. 'Ων έχρην έκείνους μεμνημένους μηδέποτ' είς την χώραν ταύτην εἰσβαλείν, έξ ης ὁρμηθέντες αὐτῶν οἱ πρόγονοι τοσαύτην εὐδαιμονίαν κατεκτήσαντο, μηδ' είς κιν-10 δύνους καθιστάναι την πόλιν την ύπερ των παίδων των Ήρακλέους προκινδυνεύσασαν, μηδε τοις μεν απ' έκείνου γεγονόσι διδόναι την βασιλείαν, την δε τώ γένει της σωτηρίας αιτίαν ουσαν δουλεύειν αίτοις άξιουν. Εὶ δὲ δεί τὰς χάριτας καὶ τὰς ἐπιεικείας 15 ανελόντας επὶ την υπόθεσιν πάλιν επανελθείν καὶ τον ακριβέστατον των λόγων είπειν, ου δή που πάτριου έστιν ήγεισθαι τους επήλυδας των αυτοχθόνων, ούδε τους εὖ παθόντας τῶν εὖ ποιησάντων, οὐδε τους ικέτας γενομένους των υποδεξαμένων.

20 *Ετι δε συντομώτερον έχω δηλώσαι περὶ αὐτών.
Τῶν μὲν γὰρ Ἑλληνίδων πόλεων, χωρὶς τῆς ἡμετέρας, *Αργος καὶ Θῆβαι καὶ Λακεδαίμων καὶ τότ ἡσαν μέγισται καὶ νῦν ἔτι διατελοῦσι. Φαίνονται δ' ἡμῶν οἱ πρόγονοι τοσοῦτον ἀπάντων διενεγκόντες, ἐπὰσθ') ὑπὲρ μὲν 'Αργείων δυστυχησάντων Θηβαίοις, ὅτε μέγιστον ἐφρόνησαν, ἐπιτάττοντες, ὑπὲρ δὲ τῶν παίδων τῶν 'Ηρακλέους 'Αργείους καὶ τοὺς ἄλλους

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11 ελοποννησίους μάχη κρατήσαντες, έκ δε τών προς Εὐρυσθέα κινδύνων τοὺς οἰκιστὰς καὶ τοὺς ήγεμόνας τοὺς Λακεδαιμονίων διάσωσαντες [[σ] Πστε περὶ μεν τῆς ἐν τοῖς Ελλησι δυνάστείας οὐκ οἶδ' ὅπως ἄν τις σαφέστερον ἐπιδεῖξαι δυνηθείη.

Δοκεί δέ μοι καὶ περὶ τῶν πρὸς τοὺς βαρβάρους Ψτἢ πόλει πεπραγμένων προσήκειν εἰπεῖν, ἄλλως τ' επειδή καὶ τον λόγον κατέστησάμην περὶ της ήγεμονίας της έπ' έκείνους. "Απαντας μεν οὖν έξαριθμῶν τοὺς κινδύνους λίαν ἂν μακρολογοίην ἐπὶ δὲ τῶν με- 10 γίστων τον αυτον τρόπον δυπερ ολίγφ πρότερου πειράσομαι καὶ περὶ τούτων διελθείν. "Εστι γὰρ ἀρχικωτατα μεν των γενων καὶ μεγίστας δυναστείας έχοντα Σκύθαι καὶ Θρậκες καὶ Πέρσαι, τυγχάνουσι δ' οὖτοι μεν απαντες ήμιν επιβουλεύσαντες, ή δε πόλις προς 15 άπαντας τούτους διακινδυνέυσασα. Καίτοι τί λοιπον έσται τοις αντιλέγουσιν, ην επιδειχθώσι των μεν Ελλήνων οι μη δυνάμενοι τυγχάνειν των δικαίων ήμας ίκετεύειν αξιούντες, των δε βαρβάρων οί βουλόμενοι καταδουλώσασθαι τους "Ελληνας έφ' ήμας 20 πρώτους ιόντες;

'Επιφανέστατος μεν οὖν τῶν πολέμων ὁ Περσικος γέγονεν, οὖ μὴν ελάττω τεκμήρια τὰ παλαιὰ τῶν ἔργων ἐστὶ τοῦς περὶ τῶν πατρίων ἀμφῶ βητοῦσιν.
'Ετι γὰρ τάπεινῆς οὖσης τῆς Έλλάδος ἤλθον εἰς τὴν χώραν ἡμῶν Θρậκες μεν μετ' Εὐμόλπου τοῦ Ποσειδῶνος, Σκύθαι δὲ μετ' 'Αμαζόνων τῶν 'Αρεως

θυγατέρων, οὐ κατὰ τὸν αὐτὸν χρόνον, ἀλλὰ καθ δ» έκάτεροι της Ευρώπης επηρχου, μισούντες μεν άπαν τὸ τῶν Ελλήνων γένος, ἰδία δὲ πρὸς ἡμᾶς ἐγκλήματα ποιησάμενοι, νομίζοντες έκ τούτου τοῦ τρόπου 5 προς μίαν μεν πόλιν κινδυνεύσειν, άπασων δε άμα κρατήσειν. Οὐ μὴν κατώρθωσαν, ἀλλὰ πρὸς μόνους τους προγόνους τους ήμετέρους συμβαλόντες όμοίως διεφθάρησαν, ώσπερ αν εί προς απαντας ανθρώπους ἐπολέμησαν. Δήλον δὲ τὸ μέγεθος τῶν κακῶν τῶν 10 γενομένων ἐκείνοις · οὐ γὰρ ἄν ποθ' οἱ λόγοι περὶ αὐτῶν τοσοῦτον χρόνον διέμειναν, εἰ μὴ καὶ τὰ πραχθέντα πολύ τῶν ἄλλων διήνεγκεν. Λέγεται δ' οὖν περὶ μὲν ᾿Αμαζόνων, ώς τῶν μὲν ἐλθουσῶν οὐδεμία πάλιν ἀπηλθεν, αἱ δ' ὑπολειφθείσαι διὰ τὴν ἐνθάδε ιι συμφοραν έκ της άρχης έξεβλήθησαν, περὶ δὲ Θρακών, ότι τον άλλον χρόνον δμοροί προσοικούντες ήμιν διὰ τὴν τότε γεγενημένην στρατείαν τοσοῦτον διέλιπου, ωστ' ἐν τῷ μεταξὺ τῆς χώρας ἔθνη πολλὰ καὶ γένη παντοδαπά καὶ πόλεις μεγάλας κατοικισθηναι.

Καλὰ μὲν οὖν καὶ ταῦτα καὶ πρέποντα τοῖς περὶ τῆς ἡγεμονίας ἀμφισβητοῦσιν ἀδελφὰ δὲ τῶν εἰρημένων καὶ τοιαῦθ, οἶά περ εἰκὸς τοῦς ἐκ τοιούτων γεγονότας οἱ πρὸς Δαρεῖον καὶ Εέρξην πολεμήσαντες ἔπραξαν. Μεγίστου γὰρ πολέμου συστάντος ἐκείνου, καὶ πλείστων κινδύνων εἰς τὸν αὐτὸν χρόνον συμπεσόντων, καὶ τῶν μὲν πολεμίων ἀνυποστάτων οἰομένων εἶναι διὰ τὸ πλῆθος, τῶν δὲ συμμάχων ἀνυπέρ-

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ἠξιώθησαν, οὐ πολλῷ δ' ὕστερον τὴν ἀρχὴν τῆς θαλάττης έλαβον, δόντων μὲν τῶν ἄλλων Ἑλλήνων, 5
οὐκ ἀμφισβητούντων δὲ τῶν νῦν ἡμᾶς ἀφαιρεῖσθαι
ζητούντων.

Καὶ μηδεὶς οἰέσθω με ἀγνοείν, ὅτι καὶ Λακεδαιμόνιοι περί τους καιρούς τούτους πολλών άγαθών αίτιοι τοις Ελλησι κατέστησαν . άλλα δια τουτο και 10 μαλλον επαινείν έχω την πόλιν, ότι τοιούτων άνταγωνιστών τυχούσα τοσούτον αύτών διήνεγκεν. λομαι δ' ολίγφ μακρότερα περὶ τοῦν πολέοιν εἰπεῖν καὶ μὴ ταχὺ λίαν παραδραμεῖν, ἵν' ἀμφοτέρων ἡμῖν ύπόμνημα γένηται, της τε των προγόνων άρετης καὶ 16 της προς τους βαρβάρους έχθρας. Καίτοι μ' οὐ λέληθεν, ότι χαλεπόν έστιν υστατον επελθόντα λέγειν περὶ πραγμάτων πάλαι προκατειλημμένων καὶ περὶ ων οί μάλιστα δυνηθέντες των πολιτών είπειν έπι τοις δημοσία θαπτομένοις πολλάκις εἰρήκασιν · ἀνάγ- 20 κη γὰρ τὰ μὲν μέγιστ' αὐτῶν ήδη κατακεγρήσθαι, μικρά δέ τινα παραλελείφθαι. "Ομως δ' έκ των ύπολοίπων, ἐπειδη συμφέρει τοῖς πράγμασιν, οὐκ οκνητέον μνησθήναι περί αὐτῶν.

Πλείστων μεν οὖν ἀγαθών αἰτίους καὶ μεγίστων 36 επαίνων ἀξίους ἡγοῦμαι γεγενῆσθαι τοὺς τοῖς σώμασιν ὑπερ τῆς Ἑλλάδος προκινδυνεύσαντας · οὐ μὴν οὐδὲ

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των προ του πολέμου τούτου γενομένων και δυναστευσάντων εν έκατέρα τοιν πολέοιν δίκαιον άμνημονείν εκείνοι γαρ ήσαν οί προασκήσαντες τους έπιγιγνομένους καὶ τὰ πλήθη προτρέψαντες ἐπ' άρετην 5 καὶ χαλεπούς ἀνταγωνιστὰς τοῖς βαρβάροις ποιήσαντες. Οὐ γὰρ ώλιγώρουν τῶν κοινῶν, οὐδ' ἀπέλαυον μεν ώς ιδίων, ημέλουν δ' ώς άλλοτρίων, άλλ' έκήδοντο μεν ώς οἰκείων, ἀπείχοντο δ' ώσπερ χρη των μηδεν προσηκόντων ούδε προς άργύριον την εύδαι-10 μουίαν ἔκρινον, άλλ' ούτος ἐδόκει πλούτον ἀσφαλέστατον κεκτήσθαι καὶ κάλλιστον, δστις τοιαῦτα τυγγάνοι πράττων, εξ ων αυτός τε μέλλοι μάλιστ' ευδοκιμήσειν καὶ τοῖς παισὶ μεγίστην δόξαν καταλείψειν. Οὐδὶ τὰς θρασύτητας τὰς άλλήλων έζήλουν, οὐδὶ 15 τὰς τόλμας τὰς αὐτῶν ἤσκουν, άλλὰ δεινότερον μὲν ένομιζον είναι κακώς ύπο τών πολιτών άκούειν ή καλως ύπερ της πόλεως αποθνήσκειν, μαλλον δ' ήσχύνοντ' έπὶ τοῖς κοινοῖς άμαρτήμασιν ἡ νῦν ἐπὶ τοῖς ίδίοις τοις σφετέροις αὐτῶν.

20 Τούτων δ ην αἴτιον, ὅτι τοὺς νόμους ἐσκόπουν ὅπως ἀκριβῶς καὶ καλῶς εξουσιν, οὐχ οὕτω τοὺς περὶ τῶν ἰδίων συμβολαίων, ὡς τοὺς περὶ τῶν καθ' ἐκάστην τὴν ἡμέραν ἐπιτηδευμάτων · ἠπίσταντο γάρ, ὅτι τοῖς καλοῖς κἀγαθοῖς τῶν ἀνθρώπων οὐδὲν δεήσει 25 πολλῶν γραμμάτων, ἀλλ' ἀπ' ὀλίγων συνθημάτων ῥα-δίως καὶ περὶ τῶν ἰδίων καὶ περὶ τῶν κοινῶν ὁμο-νοήσουσιν. Οὕτω δὲ πολιτικῶς εἶχον, ὥστε καὶ τὰς

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στάσεις εποιούντο προς άλλήλους, ούχ οπότεροι τους έτέρους απολέσαντες των λοιπων άρξουσιν, άλλ' όπότεροι Φθήσουται την πόλιν αγαθόν τι ποιήσαντες. καὶ τὰς έταιρείας συνήγον ούχ ύπερ τῶν ἰδία συμφερόντων, άλλ' ἐπὶ τῆ τοῦ πλήθους ώφελεία. Τον .5 αύτον δὲ τρόπον καὶ τὰ τῶν ἄλλων διώκουν, θεραπεύοντες, άλλ' ούχ ύβρίζοντες τους Ελληνας, καὶ στρατηγείν οιόμενοι δείν, άλλα μη τυραννείν αὐτών, καὶ μάλλον ἐπιθυμοῦντες ἡγεμόνες ἡ δεσπόται προσαγορεύεσθαι καὶ σωτήρες, ἀλλὰ μὴ λυμεῶνες ἀποκα-10 λείσθαι, τῷ ποιείν εὖ προσαγόμενοι τὰς πόλεις, ἀλλ' ού βία καταστρεφόμενοι, πιστοτέροις μέν τοις λόγοις ή νυν τοις δρκοις χρώμενοι, ταις δε συνθήκαις ώσπερ 🖊 ανάγκαις έμμενειν αξιούντες, ούχ ούτως επί ταίς δυναστείαις μέγα φρονοῦντες, ώς ἐπὶ τῷ σωφρόνως ζῆν 15 φιλοτιμούμενοι, την αυτην άξιουντες γνώμην έχειν προς τους ήττους, ήνπερ τους κρείττους πρός σφας αυτούς, ίδια μεν άστη τας αυτων πόλεις ήγουμενοι, κοινην δε πατρίδα την Έλλάδα νομίζοντες είναι.

Τοιαύταις διανοίαις χρώμενοι, καὶ τοὺς νεωτέρους 20 ἐν τοῖς τοιούτοις ἤθεσι παιδεύοντες, οὕτως ἄνδρας ἀγαθοὺς ἀπέδειξαν τοὺς πολεμήσαντας πρὸς τοὺς ἐκ τῆς ᾿Ασίας, ὥστε μηδένα πώποτε δυνηθῆναι περὶ αὐτῶν μήτε τῶν ποιητῶν μήτε τῶν σοφιστῶν ἀξίως τῶν ἐκείνοις πεπραγμένων εἰπεῖν. Καὶ πολλὴν αὐτοῖς ἔχω συγγνώμην ὁμοίως γάρ ἐστι χαλεπὸν ἐπαινεῖν τοὺς ὑπερβεβληκότας τὰς τῶν ἄλλων ἀρετάς,

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ώσπερ τους μηδεν άγαθον πεποιηκότας τους μεν γάρ ούχ υπεισι πράξεις, προς δε τους ούκ είσιν άρμόττοντες λόγοι. Πώς γὰρ αν γένοιντο σύμμετροι τοιούτοις ανδράσιν, ολ τοσούτον μεν των έπι Τροίαν στραε τευσαμένων διήνεγκαν, δσον οί μεν περί μίαν πόλιν έτη δέκα διέτριψαν, οἱ δὲ τὴν ἐξ ἀπάσης τῆς 'Ασίας δύναμιν εν ολίγω χρόνω κατεπολέμησαν, ου μόνον δε τας αύτων πατρίδας διέσωσαν, άλλα και την σύμπασαν Έλλάδα ήλευθέρωσαν; Ποίων δ' αν έργων ή 10 πόνων ἡ κινδύνων ἀπέστησαν, ώστε ζώντες εὐδοκιμεῖν, οίτινες ύπερ της δόξης ής έμελλον τελευτήσαντες έξειν ούτως ετοιμως ήθελον αποθνήσκειν; καὶ τὸν πόλεμον θεών τινα συναγαγείν ἀγασθέντα την άρετην αυτών, ίνα μη τοιούτοι γενόμενοι την φύ-15 σιν διαλάθοιεν μηδ' ἀκλεώς τον βίον τελευτήσαιεν, άλλα των αύτων τοις έκ των θεων γεγονόσι καὶ καλουμένοις ήμιθέοις άξιωθείεν καὶ γὰρ ἐκείνων τὰ μεν σώματα ταις της φύσεως ανάγκαις απέδοσαν, της δ' άρετης άθάνατον την μνήμην εποίησαν.

20 'Αεὶ μὲν οὖν οἵ θ' ἡμέτεροι πρόγονοι καὶ Λακεδαιμόνιοι φιλοτίμως πρὸς ἀλλήλους εἶχον, οὐ μὴν
ἀλλὰ περὶ καλλίστων ἐν ἐκείνοις τοῖς χρόνοις ἐφιλονίκησαν, οὖκ ἐχθρούς, ἀλλ' ἀνταγωνιστὰς σφᾶς αὐτοὺς εἶναι νομίζοντες, οὖδ' ἐπὶ δουλεία τῆ τῶν 'Ελ25 λήνων τὸν βάρβαρον θεραπεύοντες, ἀλλὰ περὶ μὲν
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λαν. Ἐπεδείξαντο δὲ τὰς αύτῶν ἀρετὰς πρῶτον μεν ἐν τοῖς ὑπὸ Δαρείου πεμφθεῖσιν. \ ᾿Αποβάντων γαρ αυτών είς την Αττικήν οί μεν ού περιέμειναν τους συμμάχους, άλλα τον κοινον πόλεμον ίδιον ποιησάμενοι προς τους άπάσης της Έλλάδος καταφρονήσαν- . τας ἀπήν<u>τω</u>ν την οἰκείαν δύναμιν ἔχοντες, ὀλίγοι προς πολλας μυριάδας, ώσπερ εν αλλοτρίαις ψυχαις μέλλουτες κινδυνεύειν, οι δ' ουκ έφθησαν πυθόμενοι τον περὶ τὴν ᾿Αττικὴν πόλεμον, καὶ πάντων τῶν ἄλλων άμελήσαντες ήκον ήμιν άμυνουντες, τοσαύτην ποιησά- 10 μενοι σπουδήν, όσην περ αν της αυτών χώρας πορθουμένης. Τημείον δε τοῦ τάχους καὶ της άμίλλης. τους μεν γαρ ήμετέρους προγόνους φασί της αυτής ήμέρας πυθέσθαι τε την απόβασιν την των βαρβάρων, καὶ βοηθήσαντας ἐπὶ τοὺς ὅρους τῆς χώρας 15 μάχη νικήσαντας τρόπαιον στήσαι των πολεμίων, / τους δ' έν τρισίν ήμέραις καὶ τοσαύταις νυξὶ διακόσια καὶ χίλια στάδια διελθεῖν στρατοπέδφ πορευομένους. Ούτω σφοδρ, ηπείχθησαν οι μεν μετασχείν των κινδύνων, οί δε φθώναι συμβαλόντες, πρίν ελθείν 20 τους βοηθήσοντας.

Μετὰ δὲ ταῦτα γενομένης τῆς ὕστερον στρατείας, ἡν αὐτὸς Ἐέρξης ἡγαγεν, ἐκλιπῶν μὲν τὰ βασίλεια, στρατηγὸς δὲ καταστήναι τολμήσας, ἄπαντας δὲ τοὺς ἐκ τῆς ᾿Ασίας συναγείρας · (περὶ οῦ τίς οὐχ ὑπερβο- 25 λὰς προθυμηθεὶς εἰπεῖν ἐλάττω τῶν ὑπαρχόντων εἴ ρηκεν;) δς εἰς τοσοῦτον ἡλθεν ὑπερηφανίας, ὥστε

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Καίτοι πῶς ἀν ἐκείνων ἄνδρες ἀμείνους ἡ μῶλλον φιλέλληνες ὅντες ἐπιδειχθεῖεν) οἵτινες ἐτόλμησαν ἐπιδείν, ὥστε μὴ τοῦς λοιποῖς αἴτιοι γενέσθαι τῆς δου- λείας, ἐρήμην μὲν την πόλιν γενομένην, τὴν δὲ χώραν πορθουμένην, ἱερὰ δὲ συλώμενα και νεως ἐμπιπραμένους, ἄπαντα δὲ τὸν πόλεμον περὶ τὴν πατρίδα τὴν αὐτῶν γιγνόμενον; Καὶ οὐδὲ ταῦτ ἀπέχρησεν αὐτοῖς, ἀλλὰ πρὸς χιλίας, καὶ διακοσίας τριήρεις μόνοι διαναυμαχεῖν ἐμέλλησαν. Οὐ μὴν εἰάθησαν καταισχυνθέντες γὰρ, Πελοποννήσιοι τὴν ἀρετὴν αὐτῶν, καὶ νομίσαντες προδιαφθαρεντων μὲν τῶν ἡμετέρων οὐδὸ

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Τοσοῦτον γὰρ ἡ πόλις ἡμῶν διέφερεν, ὅτ' ἦν ἀκέ ραιος, ώστ' ἀνάστατος γενομένη πλείους μεν συνεβάλε- 10 το τριήρεις είς τον κίνδυνον τον ύπερ της Έλλάδος ή σύμπαντες οἱ ναυμαχήσαντες, οὐδεὶς δὲ πρὸς ἡμᾶς οὕτως έχει δυσμενώς, όστις οὐκ αν όμολογήσειε δια μεν την ναυμαχίαν ήμας τῷ πολέμῳ κρατησαι, ταύτης δὲ την πόλιν αἰτίαν γενέσθαι. Καίτοι μελλούσης στρα-16 τείας επί τους βαρβάρους έσεσθαι τίνας χρη την ήγεμονίαν έχειν; Οὐ τοὺς ἐν τῷ προτέρφ πολέμφ μάλιστ' εὐδοκιμήσαντας, καὶ πολλάκις μεν ἰδία προκιν-τής των άλλων σωτηρίας, καὶ τό τε παλαιον οἰκιστας [[] τῶν πλείστων πόλεων γενομένους, καὶ πάλιν αὐτὰς έκ τῶν μεγίστων συμφορῶν διασώσαντας; ουκ αν δεινα πάθοιμεν, εί των κακων πλείστου μερος μετασχόντες εν ταις τιμαις έλαττον έχειν αξιωθείμεν, 25 καὶ τότε προταχθέντες ύπερ άπάντων νυν ετέροις ακολουθείν αναγκροθείμεν; 5 Lo Clow

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Τοιαῦτ ἔχοντες ταῖς ὁλιγαρχίαις ἐπιτιμᾶν καὶ πλείω τούτων, την αὐτην πολιτείαν ήνπερ παρ' ήμιν αὐτοῖς καὶ παρὰ τοῖς ἄλλοις κατεστήσαμεν, ην οὐκ οἶδ' ὅ τι δεῖ διὰ μακροτέρων ἐπαινεῖν, ἄλλως τε καὶ συντόμως ἔχοντα δηλῶσαι περὶ αὐτης. Μετὰ γὰρ 20 ταύτης οἰκοῦντες ἐβδομήκοντ' ἔτη διετελέσαμεν ἄπειρου, ἀστασίαστοι δὲ πρὸς σφᾶς αὐτούς, εἰρηνην δ' ἄγοντες πρὸς πάντας ἀνθρώπους. Ὑπὲρ ὧν προσής κει τοὺς εὖ φρονοῦντας μεγάλην χάριν ἔχειν πολὺ 25 μᾶλλον ἡ τὰς κληρουχίας ήμιν ὀνειδίζειν, ᾶς ήμεῖς

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Καὶ μην ούδε την παρούσαν εἰρήνην, ούδε τη αὐτονομίαν τὴν ἐν ταῖς πολιτείαις μὲν οὐκ ἐνοῦσαι έν δε ταις συνθήκαις αναγεγραμμένην, άξιον ελέσθα 15 μάλλον ἡ τὴν ἀρχὴν τὴν ἡμετέραν. Τίς γὰρ ἃ τοιαύτης καταστάσεως ἐπιθυμήσειεν, ἐν ή καταπον τισταὶ μὲν τὴν θάλατταν κατέχουσι, πελτασταὶ δί τὰς πόλεις καταλαμβάνουσιν, ἀντὶ δὲ τοῦ πρὸς έτέ ρους περί της χώρας πολεμείν έντος τείχους οί πο-20 λίται πρὸς ἀλλήλους μάχονται, πλείους δὲ πόλει αιχμάλωτοι γεγόνασιν ή πρίν την ειρήνην ήμας ποιήσασθαι, διὰ δὲ τὴν πυκνότητα τῶν μεταβολῶν ἀθυμοτέρως διάγουσιν οἱ τὰς πόλεις οἰκοῦντες τῶν ταῖς φυγαίς εζημιωμείνων · οί μεν γαρ το μελλον δεδία-25 σιν, οί δ' ἀεὶ κατιέναι προσδοκώσιν. Τοσούτον δ' ἀπέχουσι της έλευθερίας καὶ της αὐτονομίας, ὥσθ' αί μεν ύπο τυράννοις είσί, τὰς δ' άρμοσταὶ κατέχου-

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Καὶ ταῦθ' ὅτι διὰ τὴν τῶν προγόνων τῶν ἡμετέρων ἀρετὴν οὕτως εἶχεν, αἱ τῆς πόλεως συμφοραὶ σαφῶς ἐπέδειξαν· ἄμα γὰρ ἡμεῖς τε τῆς ἀρχῆς ἀπεστερούμεθα καὶ τοῖς Ἦλλησιν ἀρχὴ τῶν κακῶν ἐγί- 15 γυετο. Μετὰ γὰρ τὴν ἐν Ἑλλησπόντῷ γενομένην ἀτυχίαν ἐτέρων ἡγεμόνων καταστάντων ἐνίκησαν μὲν οἱ βάρβαροι ναυμαχοῦντες, ἦρξαν δὲ τῆς θαλάττης, κατέσχον δὲ τὰς πλείστας τῶν νήσων, ἀπέβησαν δ' εἰς τὴν Λακωνικήν, Κύθηρα δὲ κατὰ κράτος εἶλον, 20 ἄπασαν δὲ τὴν Πελοπόννησον κακῶς ποιοῦντες περιέπλευσαν.

Μάλιστα δ' ἄν τις συνίδοι το μέγεθος τής μεταβολής, εἰ παραναγνοίη τὰς συνθήκας τάς τ' ἐφ'
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μὲν γὰρ ἡμεῖς φανησόμεθα τὴν ἀρχὴν τὴν βασιλέως ὁρίζοντες καὶ τῶν φόρων ἐνίους τάττοντες καὶ

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κωλύοντες αὐτὸν τἢ θαλάττη χρησθαι · νῦν δ' ἐκεῖνός ἐστιν ὁ διοικῶν τὰ τῶν Ἑλλήνων, καὶ προστάττων ἃ χρὴ ποιεῖν ἑκάστους, καὶ μόνον οὐκ ἐπιστάθμους ἐν ταῖς πόλεσι καθιστάς. Πλὴν γὰρ τούτου τὶ τῶν ἄλλων ὑπόλοιπόν ἐστιν; Οὐ καὶ τοῦ πολέμου κύριος ἐγένετο, καὶ τὴν εἰρήνην ἐπρυτάνευσε, καὶ τῶν παρόντων πραγμάτων ἐπιστάτης καθέστηκεν; Οὐχ ὡς ἐκεῖνον πλέομεν ὅσπερ πρὸς δεσπότην, ἀλλήλων κατηγορήσοντες; Οὐ βασιλέα τὸν μέγαν οὐτὸν προσαγορεύομεν, ὅσπερ αἰχμάλωτοι γεγονότες; Οὐκ ἐν τοῖς πολέμοις τοῖς πρὸς ἀλλήλους ἐν ἐκείνος τὰς ἐν τοῖς πολέμοις τοῖς πρὸς ἀλλήλους ἐν ἐκείνος τὰς ἐκείνος τὸς πρὸς ἀλλήλους ἐν ἐκείνος τὰς ἐν τοῖς πολέμοις τοῦς πρὸς ἀλλήλους ἐν ἐκείνος τὰς ἐλπίδας ἔχομεν τῆς σωτηρίας, δς ἀμφοτέρους ἡμᾶς ἡδέως ἃν ἀπολέσειεν;

*Ων ἄξιον ἐνθυμηθέντας ἀγανακτήσαι μὲν ἐπὶ τοῖς ταροῦσι, ποθέσαι δὲ τὴν ἡγεμονίαν τὴν ἡμετέραν, μέμψασθαι δὲ Λακεδαιμονίοις, ὅτι τὴν μὲν ἀρχὴν εἰς τὸν πόλεμον κατέστησαν ὡς ἐλευθερώσοντες τοὺς Ελληνας, ἐπὶ δὲ τελευτῆς οὕτω πολλοὺς αὐτῶν ἐκδότους ἐποίησαν, καὶ τῆς μὲν ἡμετέρας πόλεως τοὺς ΜΊωνας ἀπέστησαν, ἐξ ῆς ἀπώκησαν καὶ δὶ ῆν πολλάκις ἐσώθησαν, τοῖς δὲ βαρβάροις αὐτοὺς ἔξέδοσαν, ὧν ἀκόντων τὴν χώραν ἔχουσι καὶ πρὸς οῦς οὐδὲ πώποτ ἐπαύσαντο πολεμοῦντες.

Καὶ τότε μὲν ἠγανάκτουν, ὅθἰ ἡμεῖς νομίμως ε ἐπάρχειν τινῶν ἠξιοῦμεν· νῦν δ' εἰς τοιαύτην δουλείαν καθεστώτων οὐδὲν φροντίζουσιν αὐτῶν, οἶς οὐκ ἐξαρκεῖ δασμολογεῖσθαι καὶ τὰς ἀκροπόλεις ὁρᾶν ὑπὸ

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τών έχθρών κατεχομένας, άλλὰ πρὸς ταῖς κοιναῖς συμφοραῖς καὶ τοῖς σώμασι δεινότερα πάσχουσι τών παρ' ἡμῖν ἀργυρωνήτων οὐδεὶς γὰρ ἡμῶν οὕτως αἰκίζεται τοὺς οἰκέτας, ὡς ἐκεῖνοι τοὺς ἐλευθέρους κολάζουσιν. Μέγιστον δὲ τῶν κακῶν, ὅταν ὑπὲρ καὐτῆς τῆς δουλείας ἀναγκάζωνται συστρατεύεσθαι, καὶ πολεμεῖν τοῖς ἐλευθεροῦν ἀξιοῦσι, καὶ τοιούτους κινδύνους ὑπομένειν, ἐν οἶς ἡττηθέντες μὲν παραχρῆμα διαφθαρήσονται, κατορθώσαντες δὲ μᾶλλον εἰς τὸν λοιπὸν χρόνον δουλεύσουσιν.

•Ων τίνας ἄλλους αἰτίους χρὴ νομίζειν ἡ Λακεδαιμονίους, οθ τοσαύτην ισχύν έχοντες περιορώσι τούς μεν αύτων συμμάχους γενομένους ούτω δεινά πάσχουτας, του δε βάρβαρου τη των Ελλήνων ρώμη την άρχην την αύτου κατασκευαζόμενον; Καὶ πρό- 15 τερον μεν τους τυράννους εξέβαλλον, τώ δε πλήθει τας βοηθείας εποιούντο, νύν δε τοσούτον μεταβεβλή- 1 κασιν, ώστε ταις μεν πολιτείαις πολεμούσι, τας δε μοναρχίας συγκαθιστάσι. Την μέν γε Μαντινέων πόλιν εἰρήνης ήδη γεγενημένης ἀνάστατον ἐποίησαν, 20 καὶ τὴν Θηβαίων Καδμέίαν κατέλαβον, 'Ολυνθίους και Φλιασίους πολιορκοῦσιν, 'Αμύντα δὲ τῷ Μακεδόνων βασιλεί καὶ Διονυσίφ τῷ Σικελίας τυράννφ καὶ τῷ βαρβάρφ τῷ τῆς ᾿Ασίας κρατοῦντι συμπράττουσιν, όπως ώς μεγίστην άρχην έξουσιν. Καί- 25 τοι πως ουκ άτοπον τους προεστωτας των Έλλήνων ένα μεν ἄνδρα τοσούτων ἀνθρώπων καθιστάναι δεσπότην, δεν οὐδὲ τὸν ἀριθμὸν ἔξευρεῖν ράδιόν ἐστι, τὰς δὲ μεγίστας τῶν πόλεων μηδ' αὐτὰς αὐτῶν ἐᾶν εἶναι κυρίας, ἀλλ' ἀναγκάζειν δουλεύειν ἡ ταῖς μεγίσταις συμφοραῖς περιβάλλειν. °Ο δὲ πάντων δεινότατον, ὅταν τις ἴδη τοὺς τὴν ἡγεμονίαν ἔχειν ἀξιοῦντας ἐπὶ μὲν τοὺς Ἑλληνας καθ' ἐκάστην ἡμέραν στρατευομένους, πρὸς δὲ τοὺς βαρβάρους εἰς ἄπαντα τὸν χρόνον συμμαχίαν πεποιημένους.

Καὶ μηδεὶς ὑπολάβη με δυσκόλως έχειν, ότι τρα 10 χύτερον τούτων έμνήσθην, προειπών ώς περί διαλλαγών ποιήσομαι τους λόγους ου γάρ ίνα προς τους άλλους διαβάλω την πόλιν την Λακεδαιμονίων, ούτως είρηκα περὶ αὐτῶν, ἀλλ' ἵν' αὐτοὺς ἐκείνους παύσω, καθ' όσον ὁ λόγος δύναται, τοιαύτην έγον-15 τας την γνώμην. "Εστι δε ούχ οδόν τ' αποτρέπειν των άμαρτημάτων, οὐδ' έτέρων πράξεων πείθειν ἐπίθυμείν, ην μή τις ερρωμένος επιτιμήση τοις παρούσιν· χρη δε κατηγορείν μεν ήγεισθαι τους επί βλάβη τοιαύτα λέγοντας, νουθετείν δε τους έπ' ωφελεία 20 λοιδορούντας. Τον γάρ αὐτον λόγον ούχ όμοίως ύπολαμβάνειν δεί, μη μετά της αυτης διανοίας λεγόμενου. Ἐπεὶ καὶ τοῦτ' ἔχομεν αὐτοῖς ἐπιτιμάν, ὅτι τη μεν αυτών πόλει τους δμόρους είλοστεύειν άναγκάζουσι, τῷ δὲ κοινῷ τῷ τῶν συμμάχων οὐδὲν τοιοῦ-25 τον κατασκευάζουσιν, έξον αυτοίς τὰ πρὸς ήμας διαλυσαμένοις απαυτας τους βαρβάρους περιοίκους δλης της Έλλάδος καταστήσαι.

Καίτοι χρη τους φύσει καὶ μη διὰ τύχην μέγα φρονοῦντας τοιούτοις ἔργοις ἐπιχειρεῖν πολὺ μᾶλλον ἡ τους νησιώτας δασμολογεῖν, οῦς ἄξιόν ἐστιν ἐλεεῖν, ὁ ὁρῶντας τούτους μὲν διὰ σπανιότητα τῆς γῆς ὅρη γεωργεῖν ἀναγκαζομένους, τοὺς δ' ἠπειρώτας δι ἀφθονίαν τῆς χώρας την μὲν πλείστην αὐτῆς ἀργὸν περιορῶντας, ἐξ ἡς δὲ καρποῦνται τοσοῦτον πλοῦτον κεκτημένους.

'Ηγοῦμαι δ', εἴ τινες ἄλλοθέν ποθεν ἐπελθόντες θεαταὶ γένοιντο τῶν παρόντων πραγμάτων, πολλὴν 10 αν αὐτοὺς καταγνώναι μανίαν ἀμφοτέρων ἡμῶν, οἴτινες ούτω περὶ μικρών κινδυνεύομεν, έξον άδεώς πολλά κεκτήσθαι, καὶ τὴν ἡμετέραν αὐτῶν χώραν διαφθείρομεν, αμελήσαντες την 'Ασίαν καρπουσθαι. Και τώ μεν ουδεν προυργιαίτερον έστιν ή σκοπείν εξ δυ μη- 15 δέποτε παυσόμεθα προς άλλήλους πολεμούντες ήμεις δὲ τοσούτου δέομεν συγκρούειν τι τῶν ἐκείνου πραγμάτων ἡ ποιείν στασιάζειν, ώστε καὶ τὰς διὰ τύχην αὐτῷ γεγενημένας ταραχὰς συνδιαλύειν ἐπιχειροῦμεν, οίτινες καὶ τοῦν στρατοπέδοιν τοῦν περὶ Κύπρον ἐω- 20 μεν αὐτὸν τῷ μὲν χρησθαι, τὸ δὲ πολιορκεῖν, άμφοτέροιν αὐτοῖν τῆς Ἑλλάδος ὄντοιν. Οἴ τε γὰρ άφεστώτες πρὸς ήμας τε οἰκείως ἔχουσι καὶ Λακεδαιμονίοις σφας αὐτοὺς ἐνδιδόασιν, τῶν τε μετὰ Τιριβάζου στρατευομένων καὶ τοῦ πεζοῦ τὸ χρησι- 25 μώτατον εκ τωνδε των τόπων ήθροισται, καὶ τοῦ ναυτικού τὸ πλείστον ἀπ' Ἰωνίας συμπέπλευκεν, ολ

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Πν ήμεις οὐδεμίαν ποιούμεθα πρόνοιαν, ἀλλὰ περὶ μεν τῶν Κυκλάδων νήσων ἀμφισβητοῦμεν, τοσαύτας τὸ δὲ τὸ πλήθος πόλεις καὶ τηλικαύτας τὸ μέγεθος δυνάμεις οὕτως εἰκὴ τῷ βαρβάρῳ παραδεδώκαμεν. Τοιγαροῦν τὰ μεν ἔχει, τὰ δὲ μέλλει, τοῖς δ' ἐπιβουλεύει, δικαίως ἀπάντων ἡμῶν καταπεφρονηκώς. Διαπέπρακται γὰρ ὁ τῶν ἐκείνου προγόνων οὐδεὶς το πώποτε τήν τε γὰρ ᾿Ασίαν διωμολόγηται καὶ παρὶ ἡμῶν καὶ παρὰ Λακεδαιμονίων βασιλέως εἶναι, τάς τε πόλεις τὰς Ἑλληνίδας οὕτω κυρίως παρείληφεν, ὧστε τὰς μὲν αὐτῶν κατασκάπτειν, ἐν δὲ ταῖς ἀκροπόλεις ἐντειχίζειν. Καὶ ταῦτα πάντα γέγονε διὰ τὴν τὸ ἡμετέραν ἄνοιαν, ἀλλὶ οὐ διὰ τὴν ἐκείνου δύναμιν.

Καίτοι τινὲς θαυμάζουσι τὸ μέγεθος τῶν βασιλέως πραγμάτων, καί φασιν αὐτὸν εἶναι δυσπολέμητον, διεξιώντες; ὡς πολλὰς τὰς μεταβολὰς τοῖς Ελλησι πεποίηται. Εγὼ δ' ἡγοῦμαι μὲν τοὺς ταῦτα λέγοντας οὐκ ἀποτρέπειν, ἀλλ' ἐπισπεύδειν τὴν στρατείαν εἰ γὰρ ἡμῶν ὁμονοησάντων αὐτὸς ἐν ταραχαῖς ὧν χαλεπὸς ἔσται προσπολεμεῖν, ἢ που σφόδρα χρὴ δεδιέναι τὸν καιρὸν ἐκεῖνον, ὅταν τὰ μὲν τῶν βαρβάρων καταστῆ καὶ διὰ μιᾶς γένηται γνώμης, ἡμεῖς δὲ πρὸς ἀλλήλους ὥσπερ νῦν πολεμικῶς ἔχωμεν.

Οὐ μὴν οὐδ' εἰ συναγορεύουσι τοῖς ὑπ' ἐμοῦ λεγομένοις, οὐδ' ὧς ὀρθῶς περὶ τῆς ἐκείνου δυνάμεως

γιγνώσκουσιν. Εὶ μὲν γὰρ ἀπέφαινον αὐτὸν ἄμα τοίν πολέοιν αμφοτέροιν πρότερόν ποτε περιγεγενημένου, εἰκότως αν ήμας και νῦν ἐκφοβείν ἐπεχείρουν. εὶ δὲ τοῦτο μὲν μὴ γέγονεν, ἀντιπάλων δ' ὅντων ήμων και Λακεδαιμονίων προσθεμένος τοις έτέροις εμέρος επικυδέστερα τὰ πράγματα θάτερ' εποίησεν, οὐδέν διείω και έστι τοῦτο σημείον της έκείνου ρώμης. Έν γὰρ τοῖς τοιούτοις καιροῖς πολλάκις μικραὶ δυνάμεις μεγάλας τὰς ροπὰς ἐποίησαν, ἐπεὶ καὶ περὶ Χίων ἔχοιμὶ ἂν τοῦτον τὸν λόγον εἰπεῖν, ὡς ὁποτέροις ἐκεῖνοι προσ- 10 θέσθαι βουληθείεν, ούτοι κατά θάλατταν κρείττους ήσαν. 'Αλλά γάρ οὐκ ἐκ τούτων δίκαιον ἐκρτι, σκοπείν την βασιλέως δύναμιν, έξ ων μεθ' έκατέρων γέγονεν, άλλ' έξ ων αύτος ύπερ αύτου πεπολέμηκεν. Καὶ πρώτου μεν αποστάσης Αιγύπτου τί διαπέπρα- 15 κται πρός τους έχουτας αυτήν; Ούκ έκεινος μεν έπί του πόλεμου τοῦτου κατέπεμψε τοὺς εὐδοκιμωτάτους Περσών, 'Αβροκόμαν καὶ Τιθραύστην καὶ Φαρνάβαζου, οδτοι δε τρί' έτη μείναντες, καὶ πλείω κακά παθόντες ή ποιήσαντες, τελευτώντες ούτως αισχρώς 20 άπηλλάγησαν, ώστε τους άφεστώτας μηκέτι την έλευθερίαν άγαπαν, άλλ' ήδη καὶ των δμόρων ζητείν 11111 74 ἐπάρχειν;

Μετὰ δὲ ταῦτ ἐπ Εὐαγόραν στρατεύσας, δς ἄρχει μὲν μιᾶς πόλεως, ἐν δὲ ταῖς συνθήκαις ἔκδοτός με
ἐστιν, οἰκῶν δὲ νῆσον κατὰ μὲν θάλατταν προδεδυσΤύχηκεν, ὑπὲρ δὲ τῆς χώρας τρισχιλίους ἔχει μόνον

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πελταστάς, άλλ άμως οὕτω ταπεινής δυνάμεως οὐ δύναται περιγενέσθαι βασιλεὺς πολεμῶν, ἀλλ ήδη μὲν εξ ἔτη διατέτριφεν, εἰ δε δεῖ τὰ μέλλοντα τοῖς γεγενημένοις τεκμαίρεσθαι, πολὺ πλείων ἐλπίς ἐστιν ἔτερον ἀποστήναι, πρὶν ἐκεῖνον ἐκπολιορκηθήναι · τοιαῦται βραδυτήτες ἐν ταῖς πράξεσι ταῖς βασιλέως ἔνεισιν.

Έν δὲ τῷ πολέμῳ τῷ περὶ 'Ρόδον ἔχων μὲν τοὺς Αακεδαιμονίων συμμάχους εὖνους διὰ τὴν χάλεπότητα κα τῶν πολιτειῶν, χρώμενος δὲ ταῖς ὑπηρεσίαις ταῖς παρ' ἡμῶν, στρατηγοῦντος δ' αὐτῷ Κόνωνος, δς ἡν ἐπιμελέστατος μὲν τῶν στρατηγῶν, πιστότατος δὲ τοῦς Ελλησιν, ἐμπειρότατος δὲ τῶν πρὸς τὸν πόλεμον κινδύνων, τοιοῦτον λαβῶν συναγωνιστὴν τρία μὲν ἔτη περιείδε τὸ ναυτικὸν τὸ προκινδυνεῦον ὑπὲρ τῆς 'Ασίας ὑπὸ τριήρων ἐκατὸν μόνων πολιορκούμενον, πεντεκαίδεκα δὲ μηνῶν τοὺς στρατιώτας τὸν μισθὸν ἀπεστέρησεν, ὥστε τὸ μὲν ἐπ΄ ἐκείνῷ πολλάκις ἀν διελύθησαν, διὰ δὲ τὸν ἐφεστῶτα κίνουνον καὶ τῆν συμμαχίαν τὴν περὶ Κόρινθον συστάσαν μόλις ποτὲ ναυμαχοῦντες ἐνίκησαν.

Καὶ ταῦτ' ἐστὶ τὰ βασιλικώτατα καὶ σεμνότατα τῶν ἐκείνω πεπραγμένων; καὶ περὶ ὧν οὐδέποτε παύονται λέγοντες οἱ βουλόμενοι τὰ τῶν βαρβάρων μεπολά ποιείν. "Ωστ' οὐδεὶς ἃν ἔχοι τοῦτ' εἰπεῖν, ὡς οὐ δικαίως χρῶμαι τοῖς παραδείγμασιν, οὐδ' ὡς ἐπὶ μικροῦς διατρίβω, τὰς μεγίστας τῶν πράξεων παραλεί-

πων · φεύγων γὰρ ταὺτην τὴν αἰτίαν τὰ κάλλιστα τῶν ἔργων διῆλθον, οὐκ ἀμνημονῶν οὐδ' ἐκείνων, ὅτι Δερκυλίδας μὲν χιλίους ἔχων ὁπλίτας τῆς Αἰολίδος ἐπῆρχε, Δράκων δὲ 'Αταρνέα καταλαβῶν καὶ τρισχιλίους πελταστὰς συλλέξας τὸ Μύσιον πεδίον ἀνά- στατον ἐποίησε, Θίβρων δὲ ὀλίγω πλείους τούτων διαβιβάσας τὴν Λυδίαν ἄπασαν ἐπόρθησεν, 'Αγησίλαος δὲ τῷ Κύρου στρατεύματι χρώμενος μικροῦ δείν τῆς ἐντὸς "Αλυος χώρας ἐκράτησεν.

Καὶ μὴν οὐδὲ τὴν στρατιὰν τὴν μετὰ βασιλέως 10 περιπολούσαν, οὐδὲ τὴν Περσῶν ἀνδρίαν ἄξιον φοβηθηναι καὶ γὰρ ἐκείνοι φανερώς ἐπεδείχθησαν ὑπὸ των Κύρω συναναβάντων οὐδεν βελτίους όντες των ἐπὶ θαλάττη. Τὰς μὲν γὰρ ἄλλας μάχας ὅσας ἡτος....... τήθησαν έω, καὶ τίθημι στασιάζειν αὐτούς καὶ μη 18 βούλεσθαι προθύμως προς τον άδελφον τον βασιλέως διακινδυνεύειν. 'Αλλ' επειδή Κύρου τελευτήσαντος συνηλθον απαντες οἱ τὴν 'Ασίαν κατοικοῦντες, ἐν τούτοις τοίς καιροίς ούτως αισχρώς επολέμησαν, ώστε μηδένα λόγον ύπολιπείν τοίς είθισμένοις την Περσών 20 ανδρίαν επαινείν. Λαβόντες γαρ εξακισχιλίους των Έλλήνων οὐκ ἀριστίνδην ἐπειλεγμένους, ἀλλ' ολ διὰ φαυλότητα ἐν ταις αύτων οὐχ οιοί τ' ἦσαν ζῆν, ἀπείρους μεν της χώρας όντας, ερήμους δε συμμάχων γεγενημένους, προδεδομένους δ' ύπο των συναναβάντων. 25 άπεστερημένους δε τοῦ στρατηγοῦ μεθ' οδ συνηκολούθησαν, τοσούτον αὐτῶν ήττους ήσαν, ώσθ' ὁ βαن از این د

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σιλεύς ἀπορήσας τοῖς παροῦσι πράγμασι καὶ καταφρονήσας τῆς περὶ αὐτὸν δυνάμεως τοὺς ἄρχοντας τοὺς τῶν ἐπικούρων ὑποσπόνδους συλλαβεῖν ἐτόλμησεν, ὡς εἰ τοῦτο παρανομήσειε συνταράξων τὸ στρατόπεδον, καὶ μᾶλλον εἶλετο περὶ τοὺς θεοὺς ἐξαμαρτεῖν ἡ πρὸς ἐκείνους ἐκ τοῦ φανεροῦ διαγωνίσασθαι. Διαμαρτών δὲ τῆς ἐπιβουλῆς, καὶ τῶν στρατιωτῶν συμμεινάντων καὶ καλῶς ἐνεγκόντων τὴν συμφοράν, ἀπιοῦσιν αὐτοῖς Τισσαφέρνην καὶ τοὺς ἱππέας συνέτην ὁδὸν ὁμοίως διεπορεύθησαν ὡσπερανεὶ προπεμπόμενοι, μάλιστα μὲν φοβούμενοι τὴν ἀοίκητον τῆς χώρας, μέγιστον δὲ τῶν ἀγαθῶν νομίζοντες, εἰ τῶν πολεμίων ὡς πλείστοις ἐντύχοιεν.

15 Κεφάλαιον δὲ τῶν εἰρημενων ἐκεῖνοι γὰρ οὐκ ἐπὶ λείαν ἐλθόντες οὐδὲ κώμην καταλαβόντες, ἀλλ' ἐπ' αὐτὸν τὸν βασιλέα στρατεύσαντες ἀσφαλέστερον κατέβησαν τῶν περὶ φιλίας ὡς αὐτὸν πρεσβευόντων. Ποτε μοι δοκοῦσιν ἐν ἄπασι τοῖς τόποις σαφῶς ἐπι- 20 δεδεῖχθαι τὴν αὐτῶν μαλακίαν καὶ γὰρ ἐν τῆ παραλία τῆς ᾿Ασίας πολλὰς μάχας ἤττηνται, καὶ διαβάντες εἰς τὴν Εὐρώπην δίκην ἔδοσαν (οἱ μὲν γὰρ αὐτῶν κακῶς ἀπώλοντο, οἱ δ' αἰσχρῶς ἐσώθησαν), καὶ τελευτῶντες ὑπ' αὐτοῦς τοῖς βασιλείοις καταγελα στοι γεγόνασιν.

Καὶ τούτων οὐδὲν ἀλόγος Φεγονεν, ἀλλὰ πάντ είκότως ἀποβέβηκεν· οὐ γὰρ οἶόν τε τοὺς οὕτω τρε-

φομένους καὶ πολιτευομένους οὖτε τῆς ἄλλης ἀρετῆς μετέχειν οὖτ' ἐν ταις μάχαις τρόπαιον ίστάναι τῶυ πολεμίων. Πῶς γὰρ ἐν τοῖς ἐκείνων ἐπιτηδεύμασιν έγγενέσθαι δύναιτ' αν η στρατηγός δεινός η στρατιώτης αγαθός, ων το μεν πλειστόν έστιν όχλος άτα- ε κτος καὶ κινδύνων ἄπειρος, πρὸς μὲν τὸν πόλεμον έκλελυμένος, προς δε την δουλείαν άμεινον των παρ ήμιν οικετών πεπαιδευμένος, οι δ' έν ταις μεγίσταις δόξαις όντες αὐτῶν όμαλῶς μεν οὐδε κοινῶς οὐδε πολιτικώς οὐδεπώποτ' έβίωσαν, ἄπαντα δὲ τὸν χρόνον 10 διάγουσιν είς μεν τους ύβρίζοντες, τοις δε δουλεύον- 🐠 τες, ως αν άνθρωποι μάλιστα τὰς φύσεις διαφθαρείεν, καὶ τὰ μεν σώματα διὰ τοὺς πλούτους τρυφώντες, τὰς δὲ ψυχὰς διὰ τὰς μοναρχίας ταπεινὰς καὶ περιδεείς έχοντες έξεταζόμενοι προς αυτοίς τοίς βασιλείοις 18 καὶ προκαλινδούμενοι καὶ πάντα τρόπον μικρον φρονείν μελετώντες, θνητον μεν ἄνδρα προσκυνοῦντες καὶ 🧘 ορό δαίμονα προσαγορεύοντες, των δε θεων μάλλον ή των ανθρώπων όλιγωροῦντες.

Τοιγαροῦν οἱ καταβαίνοντες αὐτῶν ἐπὶ θάλατταν, 50 οῦς καλοῦσι σατράπας, οὐ καταισχύνουσι τὴν ἐκεῖ παίδευσιν, ἀλλ' ἐν τοῖς ἤθεσι τοῖς αὐτοῖς διαμένουσι, πρὸς μὲν τοὺς φίλους ἀπίστως, πρὸς δὲ τοὺς ἐχθροὺς ἀνάνδρως ἔχοντες, καὶ τὰ μὲν ταπεινῶς, τὰ δ' ὑπερηφάνως ζῶντες, τῶν μὲν συμμάχων καταφρονοῦντες, 55 τοὺς δὲ πολεμίους θεραπεύοντες. Τὴν μέν γε μετ' ᾿Αγησιλάου στρατιὰν ὀκτὰ μῆνας ταῖς αὐτῶν δαπάναις

διέθρεψαν, τους δ' ύπερ αυτών κινδυνεύοντας έτέρου τοσούτου χρόνου τον μισθον απεστέρησαν καὶ τοις μεν Κισθήνην καταλαβούσιν έκατον τάλαντα διένειμαν. τους δε μεθ' αυτών εις Κύπρον στρατευσαμένους μάλs λον ή τους αίχμαλώτους υβριζον. 'Ως δ' άπλως είπειν καὶ μη καθ' ἐν ἔκαστον, ἀλλ' ὡς ἐπὶ τὸ πολύ, τίς ἡ τῶν πολεμησάντων αὐτοῖς οὐκ εὐδαιμονήσας ἀπηλθεν, ή των ύπ' ἐκείνοις γενομένων οὐκ αἰκισθεὶς τον βίον έτελεύτησεν ; Οὐ Κόνωνα μέν, δς ύπερ της 'Ασίας 10 στρατηγήσας την άρχην την Λακεδαιμονίων κατέλυσεν, έπὶ θανάτφ συλλαβείν ετόλμησαν, Θεμιστοκλέα δ', δς ύπερ της Έλλάδος αὐτοὺς κατεναυμάχησε, των μεγίστων δωρεών ήξίωσαν; Καίτοι πώς χρη την τούτων φιλίαν αγαπαν, οι τους μεν ευεργέτας τιμω-15 ρούνται, τοὺς δὲ κακῶς ποιούντας οὕτως ἐπιφανῶς κολακεύουσιν; Περὶ τίνας δ' ήμων οὐκ ἐξημαρτήκασιν; Ποίον δε χρόνον διαλελοίπασιν επιβουλεύοντες τοις Ελλησιν; Τί δ' οὐκ ἐχθρὸν αὐτοις ἐστι τῶν παρ' ἡμῖν, οὶ καὶ τὰ τῶν θεῶν ἔδη καὶ τοὺς νε-🕉 ως συλάν εν τῷ προτέρφ πολέμφ καὶ κατακάειν ἐτόλμησαν ;

Διὸ καὶ τοὺς Ἰωνας ἄξιον ἐπαινεῖν, ὅτι τῶν ἐμπατος καινοῦς τοῦς ἐμπατος καινοῦς κινῆσειαν ἡ πρησθέντων ἱερῶν ἐπηράσαντο εἶ τινες κινῆσειαν ἡ πάλιν εἰς τὰρχαῖα καταστῆσαι βουληθεῖεν, οὐκ ἀπο- μοῦντες πόθεν ἐπισκευάσωσιν, ἀλλ' ἵν' ὑπόμνημα τοῖς ἐπιγιγνομένοις ἡ τῆς τῶν βαρβάρων ἀσεβείας, καὶ μηδεῖς πιστεύη τοῖς τοιαῦτα εἰς τὰ τῶν θεῶν ἐξαμαρ-

τεῖν τολμῶσιν, ἀλλὰ καὶ φυλάττωνται καὶ δεδίωσιν, όρῶντες αὐτοὺς οὐ μόνον τοῖς σώμασιν ἡμῶν, ἀλλὰ καὶ τοῖς ἀναθήμασι πολεμήσαντας. = [[....]]

 $^*E\chi$ ω δ $\grave{\epsilon}$ κα $\grave{\iota}$ περ $\grave{\iota}$ τ $\hat{\omega}$ ν πολιτ $\hat{\omega}$ ν τ $\hat{\omega}$ ν ήμετ $\acute{\epsilon}$ ρων τοιαῦτα διελθεῖν. Καὶ γὰρ οὖτοι πρὸς μὲν τοὺς ἄλλους το και με επικές τους πεπολεμήκασιν ἄμα διάλλαττονται καὶ τῆς ἔχθρας της γεγενημένης επιλανθάνονται, τοις δ' ήπειρώταις ούδ' όταν εὖ πάσχωσι χάριν ἴσασιν · οὕτως ἀείμνηστον την οργην προς αυτούς έχουσιν. Καὶ πολλών μεν οἱ πατέρες ἡμῶν μηδισμοῦ θάνατον κατέγνωσαν, 10 έν δὲ τοῖς συλλόγοις ἔτι καὶ νῦν ἀρὰς ποιοῦνται, πρὶν ἄλλο τι χρηματίζειν, εἶ τις ἐπικηρυκεύεται Πέρσαις των πολιτων Ευμολπίδαι δε και κήρυκες έν τη τελετή των μυστηρίων διὰ τὸ τούτων μίσος καὶ τοις άλλοις βαρβάροις είργεσθαι τῶν ιερῶν, ὅσπερ 16 τοις ανδροφόνοις, προαγορεύουσιν. Οθτω δε φύσει πολεμικώς προς αὐτοὺς ἔχομεν, ὥστε καὶ τῶν μύθων καὶ τοῦς ήδιστα συνδιατρίβομεν τοις Τρωϊκοίς και Περσικοίς, δι' ων έστι πυνθάνεσθαι τὰς ἐκείνων συμφοράς. Ευροι δ' ἄν τις ἐκ μὲν τοῦ πολέμου τοῦ πρὸς τοὺς 20 βαρβάρους υμνους πεποιημένους, έκ δε του προς τους «Ελληνας θρήνους ήμιν γεγενημένους, καὶ τοὺς μὲν έν ταις έορταις άδομένους, των δ' έπι ταις συμφοραις ήμας μεμνημένους. Οίμαι δε και την Ομήρου τοιησιν μείζω λαβείν δόξαν, ότι καλώς τοὺς πολε- 🕿 μήσαντας τοις βαρβάροις ένεκωμίασε, καὶ διὰ τοῦτο βουληθήναι τους προγόνους ήμων έντιμον αυτού ποιήσαι την τέχνην έν τε τοις της μουσικής άθλοις καὶ τη παιδεύσει των νεωτέρων, ΐνα πολλάκις άκούοντες των έπων έκμανθάνωμεν την έχθραν την ύπάρχουσαι προς αὐτούς, καὶ ζηλούντες τὰς ἀρετὰς των στρατευσαμένων ἐπὶ Τροίαν των αὐτων ἔργων ἐκείνοις ἐπιθυμωμεν. Μαγ

«Ωστε μοι δοκεί πολλά λίαν είναι τὰ παρακελευ-\ όμενα πολεμείν αὐτοίς, μάλιστα δ' ὁ παρων καιρός, ον οὐκ ἀφετέον· καὶ γὰρ αἰσχρον παρόντι μὲν μὴ ω χρησθαι, παρελθόντος δ' αὐτοῦ μεμνήσθαι. Τί γὰρ (αν καὶ βουληθειμεν ήμιν προσγενέσθαι, μέλλοντες βασιλεί πολεμείν, έξω των νύν ύπαρχόντων; Ούκ Αδημπτος μεν αυτού και Κύπρος αφέστηκε, Φοινίκη . δε καὶ Συρία διὰ τὸν πόλεμον ἀνάστατοι γεγόνασι, 15 Τύρος δ', ἐφ' ἢ μέγ' ἐφρόνησεν, ὑπὸ τῶν ἐχθρῶν τών έκείνου κατείληπται; Τών δ' έν Κιλικία πόλεων τὰς μεν πλείστας οἱ μεθ' ἡμῶν ὄντες ἔχουσι, τας δ' ου χαλεπόν έστι κτήσασθαι. Λυκίας δ' ουδ' είς πώποτε Περσων ἐκράτησεν. Έκατόμνως δ' ὁ 20 Καρίας ἐπίσταθμος τῆ μὲν ἀληθεία πολὺν ἤδη χρόνον άφέστηκεν, όμολογήσει δ' όταν ήμεις βουληθώμεν. 'Απὸ δὲ Κνίδου μέχρι Σινώπης Ελληνες τὰν 'Ασίαν παροικούσιν, ούς ού δεί πείθειν, άλλα μη κωλυειν πολεμείν. Καίτοι τοιούτων δρμητηρίων ύπαρ-25 ξάντων, καὶ τοσούτου πολέμου τὴν 'Ασίαν περιστάντος, τί δει τὰ συμβησόμενα λίαν ἀκριβώς έξετάζειν; ι Οπου γαρ μικρών μερών ήττους εἰσίν, οὐκ ἄδηλον

ώς αν διατεθείευ, εἰ πασιν ἡμιν πολεμείν ἀναγκασθείευ. Έχει δ' οὕτως. Ἐὰν μεν ὁ βάρβαρος ἐρρωμενεστέρως κατάσχη τὰς πόλεις τὰς ἐπὶ θαλάττη, φρουρὰς μείζους ἐν αὐταις ἡ νῦν ἐγκαταστήσας, τάχ ἀν καὶ τῶν νήσων αἱ περὶ τὴν ἡπειρον, οἰον Ῥόδος δ καὶ Σάμος καὶ Χίος, ἐπὶ τὰς ἐκείνου τύχας ἀποκλίναιεν ἡν δ' ἡμεις αὐτὰς πρότεροι καταλάβωμεν, εἰκὸς τοὺς τὴν Λυδίαν καὶ Φρυγίαν καὶ τὴν ἄλλην τὴν ὑπερκειμένην χώραν οἰκοῦντας ἐπὶ τοις ἐντεῦθεν ὁρμωμένοις εἶναι.

Διὸ δεί σπεύδειν καὶ μηδεμίαν ποιείσθαι διατριβήν, ΐνα μη πάθωμεν όπερ οἱ πατέρες ήμῶν. Ἐκείνοι γὰρ ὑστερίσαντες τῶν βαρβάρων καὶ προέμενοί. τινας των συμμάχων ήναγκάσθησαν ολίγοι προς πολλούς κινδυνεύειν, έξων αὐτοίς προτέροις διαβάσιν εἰς 1 την ήπειρον μετά πάσης της των Ελλήνων δυνάμεως εν μέρει των εθνων εκαστον χειρούσθαι. Δέδεικται γάρ, όταν τις πολεμή προς ανθρώπους έκ πολλων τόπων συλλεγομένους, ότι δεί μη περιμένειν έως αν επιστωσιν, αλλ' έτι διεσπαρμένοις αυτοίς επιχει- 20 ρείν. Ἐκείνοι μεν ούν προεξαμαρτόντες απαντα ταυτ' έπηνωρθώσαντο, καταστάντες είς τους μεγίστους αγώνας. Ήμεις δ' αν σωφρονωμεν, έξ άρχης φυλαξόμεθα, καὶ πειρασόμεθα φθήναι περὶ τὴν Λυδίαν καὶ την Ιωνίαν στρατόπεδον εγκαταστήσαντες, είδότες, 3 ότι καὶ βασιλεύς ούχ έκοντων άρχει των ήπειρωτων, αλλά μείζω δύναιιν περί αύτον έκάστων αύτων

ι ποιησάμενος · ής ήμεις όταν κρείττω διαβιβάσωμεν, δ βουληθέντες ράδιως αν ποιήσαιμεν, ἀσφαλως άπασαν την 'Ασίαν καρπωσόμεθα. Πολύ δὲ κάλλιον ἐκείνο περὶ της βασιλείας πολεμείν η πρὸς ήμας τα τους περὶ της ήγεμονίας ἀμφισβητείν.

*Αξιον δ' ἐπὶ τῆς νῦν ἡλικίας ποιήσασθαι τὴν στρατείαν, ίν' οἱ τῶν συμφορῶν κοινωνήσαντες, οὖτοι καὶ τῶν ἀγαθῶν ἀπολαύσωσι καὶ μὴ πάντα τὸν χρόνον δυστυχούντες διαγάγωσιν. Ίκανὸς γὰρ ὁ παρε-Νος τος 10 ληλυθώς, ἐν ὧ τί τῶν δεινῶν οὐ γέγονεν; Πολλῶν γὰρ κακῶν τῆ φύσει τῆ τῶν ἀνθρώπων ὑπαρχόντων αὐτοὶ πλείω τῶν ἀναγκαίων προσεξευρήκαμεν, πολέμους καὶ στάσεις ήμιν αὐτοῖς έμποιήσαντες, ώστε τους μεν έν ταις αυτών ανόμως απόλλυσθαι, τους 18 δ' ἐπὶ ξένης μετὰ παίδων καὶ γυναικῶν ἀλᾶσθαι, πολλούς δε δι' ένδειαν των καθ' ήμέραν επικουρείν αναγκαζομένους ύπερ των έχθρων τοις φίλοις μαχομένους αποθυήσκειν. Υπέρ ων ούδεις πώποτ ήγανάκτησεν, άλλ' έπὶ μεν ταις συμφοραις ταις ύπο των 20 ποιητών συγκειμέναις δακρύειν άξιουσιν, άληθινα δε πάθη πολλὰ καὶ δεινὰ γιγνόμενα διὰ τὸν πόλεμον έφορώντες τοσούτου δέουσιν έλεειν, ώστε καὶ μάλλον γαίρουσιν έπὶ τοῖς ἀλλήλων κακοῖς ἡ τοῖς αὐτῶν ίδίοις αγαθοίς.

25 *Ισως δ' ἃν καὶ τῆς ἐμῆς εὐηθείας πολλοὶ καταγελάσειαν, εἰ δυστυχίας ἀνδρῶν ὀδυροίμην ἐν τοῖς τοιούτοις καιροῖς, ἐν οἶς 'Ιταλία μὲν ἀνάστατος γέγονε, Σικελία δε καταδεδούλωται, τοσαθται δε πόλεις τοις βαρβάροις εκδεδονται, τὰ δε λοιπὰ μέρη των Ελλήνων εν τοις μεγίστοις κινδύνοις εστίν.

Θαυμάζω δὲ τῶν δυναστευόντων ἐν ταῖς πόλεσιν, εἰ προσήκειν αὐτοῖς ἡγοῦνται μέγα φρονεῖν, μηδὲν τ πώποθ' ὑπὲρ τηλικούτων πραγμάτων μήτ' εἰπεῖν μήτ' ἐνθυμηθῆναι δυνηθέντες. Ἐχρῆν γὰρ αὐτούς, εἴπερ ἦσαν ἄξιοι τῆς παρούσης δόξης, ἀπάντων ἀφε-ως μένους τῶν ἄλλων περὶ τοῦ πολέμου τοῦ πρὸς βαρ-βάρους εἰσηγείσθὰι καὶ συμβουλεύειν. Τυχον μὲν 10 γὰρ ἄν τι συνεπερὰναν εἰ δὲ καὶ προαπείπον, ἀλλ΄ μεν οὖν τούς γε λόγους ὥσπερ χρησμούς εἰς τὸν ἐπιόντα χρόνον ἃν κατέλιπον. Νῦν δ' οἱ μὲν ἐν ταῖς μεγίσταις δόξαις ὅντες ἐπὶ μικροῖς σπουδάζουσιν, ἡμῖν δὲ τοῖς τῶν πολιτικῶν ἐξεστηκόσι περὶ τηλικούτων 15 πραγμάτων συμβουλεύειν παραλελούπασιν.

Οὐ μὴν ἀλλ' ὅσφ μικροψυχότεροι τυγχάνουσιν ὅντες οἱ προεστῶτες ἡμῶν, τοσούτφ τοὺς ἄλλους ἐρρωμενεστέρως δεῖ σκοπεῖν, ὅπως ἀπαλλαγησόμεθα τῆς παρούσης ἔχθρας. Νῦν μὲν γὰρ μάτην ποιούμεθα 20 τὰς περὶ τῆς εἰρήνης ττὰθήκας οὐ γὰρ διαλυόμεθα τοὺς πολέμους, ἀλλ' ἀναβαλλόμεθα, καὶ περιμένομεν τοὺς καιροὺς ἐν οἷς ἀνήκεστόν τι κακὸν ἀλλήλους ἐργάσασθαι δυνησόμεθα. Δεῖ δὲ ταύτας τὰς ἐπιβουλὰς ἐκποδῶν ποιησαμένους ἐκείνοις τοῖς ἔργοις ἐπι- 26 χειρεῖν, ἐξ ὧν τάς τε πόλεις ἀσφαλέστερον οἰκήσομεν καὶ πιστότερον διακεισόμεθα πρὸς ἡμᾶς αὐτούς.

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"Εστι δ' άπλους και ράδιος δ λόγος δ περί τούτων. ούτε γαρ ειρήνην οδόν τε βεβαίαν αγαγείν, ην μη κοινή τοις βαρβάροις πολεμήσωμεν, οὖθ' ὁμονοήσαι τους Ελληνας, πριν αν και τας ώφελίας έκ των ... το αὐτῶν καὶ τοὺς κινδύνους πρὸς τοὺς αὐτοὺς ποιησώ- Η μεθα. Τούτων δε γενομένων, καὶ τῆς ἀπορίας τῆς περί του βίου ήμων άφαιρεθείσης, ή και τας έταιρίας διαλύει καὶ τὰς συγγενείας εἰς ἔχθραν προάγει ္ καὶ πάντας ἀνθρώπους εἰς πολέμους καὶ στάσεις κα-10 θίστησιν, οὐκ ἔστιν ὅπως οὐχ ὁμονοήσομεν καὶ τὰς εύνοίας άληθινάς πρός ήμας αύτους έξομεν. ' Ων ένεκα περί παυτός ποιητέου, όπως ώς τάχιστα του ένθένδε πόλεμον είς την ήπειρον διοριούμεν, ώς μόνον αν τουτ' αγαθον απολαύσαιμεν των κινδύνων των 15 προς ήμας αυτούς, εί ταις έμπειρίαις ταις έκ τούτων γεγενημέναις προς του βάρβαρου καταχρήσασθαι δόξειεν ήμιν.

χρη διαλύειν ταύτας τὰς ὁμολογίας, ἐξ ὧν τοιαύτη δόξα γέγονεν, ώστε ὁ μεν βάρβαρος κήδεται της

'Αλλά γάρ ἴσως διά τάς συνθήκας ἄξιον ἐπισγείν, 27-19 άλλ' οὐκ ἐπεινθηναι καὶ θᾶττον ποιήσασθαι την 20 στρατείαν; Δι' ας αί μεν ήλευθερωμέναι των πόλεων βασιλεί χάριν ἴσασιν, ώς δι ἐκείνον τυχούσαι της αυτονομίας ταύτης, αί δ' εκδεδομέναι τοις βαρβάροις μάλιστα μεν Λακεδαιμονίοις επικαλούσιν, επειτα δε καὶ τοις άλλοις τοις μετασχούσι της ειρήνης, ώς 25 ύπο τούτων δουλεύειν ήναγκασμέναι. Καίτοι πώς οὐ

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Ελλάδος καὶ φύλαξ τῆς εἰρήνης ἐστίν, ἡμῶν δέ τινές εἰσιν οἱ λυμαινόμενοι καὶ κακῶς ποιοῦντες αὐτήν;
Ο δὲ πάντων καταγελαστότατον, ὅτι τῶν γεγραμμένων ἐν ταῖς ὁμολογίαις τὰ χείριστα τυγχάνομεν διαφυλάττοντες. ᾿Α μὲν γὰρ αὐτονόμους ἀφίησι τάς τε το νήσους καὶ τὰς πόλεις τὰς ἐπὶ τῆς Εὐρώπης πάλαι λέλυται καὶ μάτην ἐν ταῖς στήλαις ἐστίν · ὰ δ' αἰσχύνην ἡμῖν φέρει καὶ πολλοὺς τῶν συμμάχων ἐκδέδωκε, ταῦτα δὲ κατὰ χώραν μένει καὶ πάντες αὐτὰ κύρια ποιοῦμεν, ὰ χρῆν ἀναιρεῖν καὶ μηδεμίαν 10 ἐᾶν ἡμέραν, νομίζοντας προστάγματα καὶ μὴ συνθήκας εἶναι.

Τίς γὰρ οὐκ οἶδεν, ὅτι συνθῆκαι μέν εἰσιν αἴτινες ἃν ἴσως καὶ κοινῶς ἐν ἀμφοτέροις ἔχωσι, προστάγματα δὲ τὰ τοὺς ἑτέρους ἐλαττοῦντα παρὰ τὸ δί- 15 / ἐκαιον; Διὸ καὶ τῶν πρεσβευσάντων ταύτην τὴν εἰρήνην δικαίως ἃν κατηγοροῦμεν, ὅτι πεμφθέντες ὑπὸ τῶν Ἑλλήνων ὑπὲρ τῶν βαρβάρων ἐποιήσαντο τὰς συνθήκας. Ἐχρῆν γὰρ αὐτούς, εἶτ ἐδόκει τὴν αὐτῶν ἔχειν ἐκάστους, εἴτε καὶ τῶν δοριαλώτων ἐπάρχειν, ∞ εἴτε τούτων κρατεῖν ὧν ὑπὸ τὴν εἰρήνην ἐτυγχάνομεν ἔχοντες, ἔν τι τούτων ὁρισαμένους καὶ κοινὸν τὸ δίγκαιον ποιησαμένους, οὕτω συγγράφεσθαι περὶ αὐτῶν. Νῦν δὲ τῆ μὲν ἡμετέρα πόλει καὶ τῆ Λακεδαιμονίων οὐδεμίαν τιμὴν ἀπένειμαν, τὸν δὲ βάρβαρον ἀπάσης 25 τῆς ᾿Ασίας δεσπότην κατέστησαν, ὡς ὑπὲρ ἐκείνου πολεμησάντων ἡμῶν, ἢ τῆς μὲν Περσῶν ἀρχῆς πάλαι

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καθεστηκυίας, ήμων δε άρτι τὰς πόλεις κατοικούντων, ἀλλ' οὐκ ἐκείνων μὲν νεωστὶ ταύτην την τιμην ἐχόντων, ήμων δε τὸν ἄπαντα χρόνον ἐν τοῖς Ελλησι δυναστευόντων. Ολικο των Κρακία

5 Ο Γιμαι δ' ἐκείνως εἰπων μαλλον δηλώσειν τήν τε περὶ ἡμας ἀτιμίαν γεγενημένην καὶ τὴν τοῦ βασιλέως πλεονεξίαν. Τὴς γὰρ γῆς ἀπάσης τῆς ὑπὸ τῷ κόσμῳ κειμένης δίχα τετμημένης, καὶ τῆς μὲν ᾿Ασίας, τῆς δ' Εὐρώπης καλουμένης, τὴν ἡμίσειαν ἐκ τῶν το συνθηκῶν εἴληφεν, ὥσπερ πρὸς τὸν Δία τὴν χώραν νεμόμενος, ἀλλ' οὐ πρὸς ἀνθρώπους τὰς συνθήκας ποιούμενος. Καὶ ταύτας ἡμας ἡνάγκασεν ἐν στήλαις λιθίναις ἀναγράψαντας ἐν τοῖς κοινοῖς τῶν ἱερῶν ἀναθείναι, πολὺ κάλλιον τρόπαιον τῶν ἐν ταῖς μάτος χαις γιγνομένων τὰ μὲν γὰρ ὑπὲρ μικρῶν ἔργων καὶ μιὰς τύχης ἔστιν, αὖται δ' ὑπὲρ ἄπαντος τοῦ πολέμου καὶ καθ' ὅλης τῆς Ἑλλάδος ἐστήκασιν.

Υπερ ων άξιον οργίζεσθαι καὶ σκοπείν, όπως των τε γεγενημένων δίκην ληψόμεθα καὶ τὰ μέλλοντα το διορθωσόμεθα. Καὶ γὰρ αἰσχρον ἰδία μὲν τοῖς βαρβάροις οἰκέταις ἀξιοῦν χρῆσθαι, δημοσία δὲ τοσούτους τῶν συμμάχων περίορᾶν αὐτοῖς δουλεύοντας, καὶ τοὺς μὲν περὶ τὰ Τρωϊκὰ γενομένους μιᾶς γυναικὸς άρπασθείσης οὕτως ἄπαντας συνοργισθῆναι τοῖς ἀδικηθεῖσιν, ὥστε μὴ πρότερον παύσασθαι πολεμοῦντας, πρὶν τὴν πόλιν ἀνάστατον ἐποίησαν τοῦ τολμήσαντος ἐξαμαρτεῖν, ἡμᾶς δ' ὅλης τῆς Ἑλλάδος ὑβριζομένης

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μηδεμίαν ποιήσασθαι κοινην τιμωρίαν, έξον ήμω ευν χης άξια διαπράξασθαι. Μόνος γὰρ οὖτος ὁ πόλεμος εἰρήνης κρείττων ἐστί, θεωρία μὲν μᾶλλον ἡ στρατεία προσεοικώς, ἀμφοτέροις δὲ συμφέρων, καὶ τοῖς ήσυχίαν ἄγειν βουλομένοις καὶ τοῖς πολεμεῖν ε ἐπιθυμοῦσιν. Εἴη γὰρ ὰν τοῖς μὲν ἀδεῶς τὰ σφέτερ' αὐτῶν καρποῦσθαι, τοῖς δ' ἐκ τῶν ἀλλοτρίων μεγάλους πλούτους κατακτήσασθαι.

Πολλαχοῦ δ' ἄν τις λογιζόμενος ευροι ταύτας τὰς πράξεις μάλιστα λυσιτελούσας ήμιν. Φέρε γάρ, πρὸς 10 τίνας χρη πολεμείν τους μηδεμιάς πλεονεξίας επιθυμούντας, άλλ' αὐτὸ τὸ δίκαιον σκοπούντας; Οὐ προς τους καὶ πρότερον κακώς την Ελλάδα ποιήσαντας καὶ νῦν ἐπιβουλεύοντας καὶ πάντα τὸν γρόνον ούτω πρὸς ήμας διακειμένους; Τίσι δὲ φθονείν 15 εικός έστι τους μη παντάπασιν ανάνδρως διακειμένους, άλλα μετρίως τούτφ τῷ πράγματι χρωμένους; ζίνω Οὐ τοῖς κοίνους Οὐ τοῖς μείζους μὲν τὰς δυναστείας ἡ κατ' ἀνθρώπους περιβεβλημένοις, ελάττονος δ' άξίοις των παρ' ήμιν δυστυχούντων; 'Επὶ τίνας δὲ στρατεύειν προσ- 20 ήκει τους άμα μεν εύσεβείν βουλομένους, άμα δε του συμφέροντος ένθυμουμένους; Οὐκ ἐπὶ τοὺς καὶ φύσει πολεμίους καὶ πατρικούς έχθρούς καὶ πλείστα μὲν ἀγαθὰ κεκτημένους, ἡκιστα δ' ὑπὲρ αὐτῶν ἀμύνεσθαι δυναμένους; Οὐκοῦν ἐκεῖνοι πᾶσι τούτοις 25 για ένοχοι τυγχάνουσιν όντες.

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τας εξ αὐτῶν καταλέγοντες, δ νῦν ἐν τῷ πολέμφ τῷ πρὸς ἐλλήλους ὀχληρότατον ἐστιν αὐταίς · πολύ γαρ οίμαι σπανιωτέρους έσεσθαι τους μένειν έθελήσοντας των συνακολουθείν επιθυμησόντων. • ούτως ἡ νέος ἡ παλαιὸς ράθυμός ἐστιν, ὅστις οὐ μετασχείν βουλήσεται ταύτης της στρατιάς της ύπ' 'Αθηναίων μεν καὶ Λακεδαιμονίων στρατηγουμένης, ύπερ δε της των συμμάχων ελευθερίας άθροιζομένης, ύπὸ δὲ τῆς Ἑλλάδος ἀπάσης ἐκπεμπομένης, ἐπὶ δὲ 10 την των βαρβάρων τιμωρίαν πορευομένης; Φήμην δε καὶ μνήμην καὶ δόξαν πόσην τινὰ χρη νομίζειν ή ζωντας έξειν ή τελευτήσαντας καταλείθειν τους έν τοις τοιούτοις έργοις άριστεύσαντας; "Οπου γάρ οί προς 'Αλέξανδρον πολεμήσαντες καὶ μίαν πόλιν έλόν-15 τες τοιούτων επαίνων ήξιώθησαν, ποίων τινών χρή προσδοκάν έγκωμίων τεύξεσθαι τους όλης της 'Ασίας Τίς γὰρ ἡ τῶν ποιείν δυναμένων ἡ κρατήσαντας; των λέγειν επισταμένων ου πονήσει και φιλοσοφήσει, βουλόμενος άμα τε της αυτού διανοίας και της 20 έκείνων άρετης μνημείου είς άπαντα του χρόνου καταλιπείν:

Οὐ τὴν αὐτὴν δὲ τυγχάνω γνώμην ἔχων ἔν τε τῷ παρόντι και περὶ τὰς ἀρχὰς τοῦ λόγου. Τότε μὲν γὰρ ῷμην ἀξίως δυνήσεσθαι τῶν πραγμάτων εἰπείν τοῦν δ' οὐκ ἐφικνοῦμαι τοῦ μεγέθους αὐτῶν, ἀλλὰ πολλά με διαπέφευγεν ὧν διενοήθην. Αὐτοὺς οὖν χρὴ συνδιορᾶν ὅσης ἃν εὐδαιμονίας τύχοιμεν, εἰ τὸν

μεν πόλεμον τον νύν όντα περί ήμας προς τους ηπειρώτας ποιησαίμεθα, την δ' εὐδαιμονίαν την έκ της 'Ασίας είς την Ευρώπην διακομίσαιμεν, καὶ μη μόνον ακροατας γενομένους απελθείν, αλλα τους μεν πράττειν δυναμένους παρακαλούντας άλλήλους πειρά- ε τίου. άττειν τήν τε πόλιν την ήμετέραν καὶ την Λακεδαιμονίων, τους δε των λόγων αμφισβητούντας προς μεν την παρακαταθήκην και περί των άλλων δυ νυν φλυαρούσι παύεσθαι γράφοντας, προς δε τοῦτον τὸν λόγον ποιεῖσθαι τὴν ἄμιλλαν, καὶ σκο- 10 πείν, δπως άμεινον έμου περί των αυτών πραγμάτων έρουσιν, ενθυμουμένους, ότι τοις μεγάλα υπισχνουμένοις οὐ πρέπει περὶ μικρὰ διατρίβειν, οὐδὲ τοιαῦτα λέγειν, έξ ων ο βίος μηδεν επιδώσει των πεισθέν- 605 9 των, αλλ' ων επιτελεσθέντων αυτοί τε απαλλαγήσον- 15 ται της παρούσης απορίας καὶ τοῖς ἄλλοις μεγάλων άγαθων αίτιοι δόξουσιν είναι.

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A Panegyrical Discourse originally meant one composed to be read or delivered at a great festival, called a πανήγυριε; hence its name, πανηγυρικόε, or πανηγυρικόε λόγοε. These discourses were generally laudatory in their style, and finally any composition in praise of an individual or a state was called a panegyric.

Page 3, 1. 1. mannyúpeis. Festival assemblies, of which there was a great variety in Greece. Some were established for a single state, or for two or three states that bordered upon each other. Some were more comprehensive. Four of them, the Olympian, Pythian, Nemean, and Isthmian, rose to great national importance. Their origin was traced back into the mythical antiquity, and their foundation was laid by heroes and demigods. They became periodic celebrations in historical times, and lasted long after the independence of Greece was lost, and the country had sunk into the rank of a province of the Roman empire. The Olympian and Pythian were held every four years, the Nemean and Isthmian every two; each of the former two was called, according to the Greek mode of reckoning, a merraerapis, and each of the latter a rosernois. They furnished a means of recording events chronologically. The Olympiads, in particular, were used for this purpose, beginning with 776 B.C., the date of the first recorded Olympic victory.

During the periods of these national celebrations, a truce was proclaimed between hostile states. In this respect. their influence must have been highly favorable to the progress of civilization. The contests were, for the most part. gymnastic and equestrian. In some of them, musical rivalries formed part of the entertainment. Authors frequently seized the opportunity which such large assemblies afforded of reading their works; and this was one mode of publishing them to the world. Deputies from the different nations of Greece and from the colonies, and even from princes of Greek descent, like Hiero of Svracuse and Arcesilaus of Cyrene, attended in magnificent state. The enthusiasm excited by these games was profound and universal; the ambition for victory, one of the strongest passions of the Hellenic mind. The winner of the wreath of pine or the parsley crown was the most fortunate and envied of mortals. Honors and applause could not be lavished upon him enough. His triumph was celebrated by processions, sacrifices, feasts, and, above all, by the united and richest strains of the poet and musician. Of the immense variety of Pindar's odes, none have been preserved entire except those in honor of the Olympian, Pythian, Nemean, and Isthmian victors. Solon. by public enactment, offered large rewards to those Athenians who gained prizes at the Olympian and Pythian games; such was that great man's sense of their national importance. In a later age, the benefits of this eagerness for the agonistic victory were questioned by philosophical minds. Isocrates intimates, in the Introduction, a comparison, in respect to usefulness, between those who devoted themselves to this species of public service and those who trained their minds to intellectual labors, showing that in his time the renown of an athlete had begun to be considered a rude kind of glory, compared with that of the statesman, the thinker, and the teacher.

- 1, 2. συναγαγόντων. In the old editions, the reading was ἀγόντων. But Isocrates is not speaking of those who took part in the games, but of the founders. Literally, those who brought the festal assemblies together; i. e. those who instituted them. The word is appropriate to πανηγύρεις, as καταστησάντων, in the next line, is to γυμνικοὺς ἀγῶνας. Genitive constructed with ἐθαύμασα. For the phrase πολλάκις ἐθαύμασα, see G. § 30, 1, n. 1.
- 4. ldia, in private, i. e. by private study and meditation; as the philosophers and moralists did, and particularly those who, like Isocrates, occupied themselves with subjects that concerned the public welfare.
- 6. τούτοις δ'. For δέ in Apodosis, see G. § 57, and last Rem. under § 64.
 - 7. εἰκὸς ἢν ποιήσασθαι, § 49, 2, n. 3.
- 9. οὐδὲν ἄλλοις, no advantage would accrue to others.
- 9, 10. [λαβόντων and φρονήσαντος are in protasis, equivalent to the aor. opt.] G. § 109, 6; § 52, 1. ἀπολαύσειαν ἄν, would enjoy the benefit.
- 14. ἦκω συμβουλεύσων, I am come to give advice; future participle expressing intention or purpose. G. § 109, 5.
- 15. $\tau \epsilon \dots \kappa a i$. "When $\tau \epsilon$ is placed after the preposition, the preposition is usually repeated after $\kappa a i$; but if the $\tau \epsilon$ is joined, not to the preposition itself, but to the article or noun, then the preposition is usually omitted after $\kappa a i$." Bremi. One object of the discourse was to persuade the Greeks to lay aside their discords with one another, and to unite in a common war against the Barbarians, i. e. the Persians. Philip of Macedon adopted the plan previously to his assassination, and his son Alexander executed it.
- 17. σοφιστῶν, Sophists. Σοφιστὰς δ' ἐκάλουν, says Coray, παρὰ τὸ Σοφίζειν, τοὺς διδάσκοντας τὴν τῶν λόγων ἐπιστήμην. Gorgias, Thrasymachus, Protagoras, Hippias, were Sophists,

or teachers of this description. Bremi says: "Zochioral primum dicti sunt omnes σοφοί, qui sive scientia rerum ad philosophiam pertinentium, sive alia arte excellerent. Tum vero per σοφιστάς intelligebantur ρήτορες φιλοσοφούντες." "Imprimis ita nominati sunt, qui artem disserendi tradiderunt, eamque duplicem, vel de capite aliquo doctrinae in scholis (Cic. Fin. II. 1) vel de republica; quod discrimen apertum est ex oratione contra Soph. (p. 429). Où uóror τούτοις, qui doctrinam omnem amplectuntur, άλλα και τοῖς τούς πολιτικούς λόγους ύπισχνουμένοις." Spohn. Isocrates applied this species of eloquence to the discussion of morals and government, and to the illustration of the duties of the citizen as a member of a political community. sense, Isocrates himself, as Cicero intimates, was a Sophist. (Orat. c. xi.) "Qualem Isocrates fecit Panegyricum, multique alii, qui sunt nominati Sophistae." The art of eloquence was sometimes called godigrela.

17, 18. ἐπὶ τοῦτον τὸν λόγον ἔρμησαν, have rushed to this subject. G. § 70, 1. "'Ορμῶν ἐπί τι, magno impetu ferri alicujus rei potiundae tamquam egregiae et opportunae." Bremi. — διοίσειν, G. § 27, n. 3.

Page 4, l. 1. δοκεῖν, G. § 98.— εἰρῆσθαι, G. § 73, 1; § 18, 3.

- 2. προκρίνας. The preposition πρό, in composition, suggests comparison and preference. "Τούτους τῶν λόγων κρίνας εἶναι καλλίστους πρὸ τῶν ἄλλων." Coray.
- 3. Tuyxávourus örres. Tuyxáveus is often constructed with participles of other verbs, when the idea of chance is to be expressed, however slightly. See Kühner, Gr. Gr., § 310, 1; G. § 112, 2.
 - 8. δταν λάβη, G. § 62.
- 9, 10. $\tilde{\epsilon}_{\chi o \nu \tau a} \pi \hat{\epsilon}_{\rho a \epsilon}$, having completion; i. e. all having been said and written that can be said and written about the subject, so that no other writer can do more or better in the treatment of it. $\lambda \hat{\epsilon} \lambda \hat{\epsilon}_i \hat{\phi} \theta a a$, G. § 18, 3, note.

- 11. τὰ μέν refers to πράγματα; the antithesis is τὰ δ' εἰρημένα, in the next line.
 - 12. φέρηται, G. § 62.
 - 13. φιλοσοφείν, to study, or meditate carefully.
 - 14. ἡν κατορθωθή, G. § 50, 1.
- 17, 18. μηδαμῶς ἄλλως.... ἀλλ' ή, no otherwise than. See Soph. Gr. Gr., § 159, n. 1. For the conditional sentence, see G. § 49, 2.
 - 19. ès . . . è στι, G. § 32, 3 (a).
- 20. λέγοντα, by speaking. The participle agrees with the understood subject of ἐνοχλεῖν. See Kühner, § 312, Rem. 3.
- 23, 24. For an explanation of the connective particles, καὶ τε, καὶ καί, see Kühner, § 321, Rem. 1.
 - 26. φευκτέου, G. § 114, 2.
- Page 5, l. 2, 3. καταχρήσασθαι, employed here in a good sense, and more emphatically than the simple verb, to make use of. G. § 91.
- 3, 4. ἐνθυμηθῆναι, to form opinions, to conceive. τοῖε ἐνόμασιν εἶν διαθέσθαι, to dispose of well in words. The two expressions point at the two indispensable qualities of good writing, namely, just and suitable sentiments, and a happy selection of words or aptness of style.
 - 6. λαμβάνειν αν, G. § 73, 1; § 41, 1.
- 7. φιλοσοφίαν. Cicero (De Orat., III. 16) says: "Omnis rerum optimarum cognitio, atque in iis exercitatio, philosophia." Φιλοσοφία περὶ τοὺς λόγους is the art or study of eloquence; or rather, perhaps, as Bremi explains, the theoretical treatment of the art of eloquence.
 - 10, 11. περί ων . . . είρηκεν, G. § 61, 1.
 - 12. δύναιτο αν, G. § 52, 2.
- 13, 14. των λόγων τοις ύπερ τους εδιώτας έχουσι και λίαν απηκριβωμένοις, those discourses which are above the common style, and which have been highly finished. That is, ornate discourses, and not arguments on mere legal questions, or

business affairs, before the courts; = τοῖς μη ἰδιωτικῶς ἔχουσικ. Coray.

15-17. Σστε.... σκοποῦσιν, so that they examine those which have been excessively elaborated, by comparison with speeches made in suits concerning private business. G. § 65, 8. That is, they judge of finished discourses on subjects of great public concern according to the standard of arguments made in the courts,—mere business and conversational discussions growing out of every-day affairs.—
δέον, accusative absolute (= el έδει). G. § 110, 2; § 109, 6.

18-21. τοὺς μὲν ἀσφαλῶς (sc. ἔχειν), i. e. business arguments, which should be clearly and strongly put, in such a way as to be unshaken, though destitute of ornament.— τοὺς δ' ἐπιδεικτικῶς, and the former, i. e. discourses of public occasions, called demonstrative, or epideictic, written according to the principles of art, and exhibiting the eloquence of the author.— ἡ σφᾶς μέν. For construction of these accusatives, see Soph. Gr. Gr., § 226, a; G. § 110, 2, n. 1.— μετριότητας, the proprieties of discourse.— διορῶντας (= εἰ διώρων), G. § 109, 6; § 52, 1.— ἀν δυνάμενον (= δύναιτο ἄν), G. § 41, 1; § 52, 2.

24. **exivous. The use of the demonstrative before or after the participle with the article is common in Greek, but it is not pleonastic, as is sometimes stated; the demonstrative and the article here have the force of antecedent and relative.

25. δυσχερανοῦντας, who will judge with severity.

Page 6, l. 1. θρασυνάμενος, having made bold, having taken the liberty to say a few words more about myself.

- 2. Τοὺς μέν. The antithesis to this is Ἐγὼ δ' (l. 7).
- 3. καταπραύνοντας, endeavoring to conciliate. G. § 113.
- 4. ρηθήσεσθαι, G. § 25, 2, n. 1.
- 5. $\tau \circ \nu s \ \mu \acute{\epsilon} \nu$. The correlative is $\tau \circ \nu s \ \delta$, some others, the two expressions being partitive, and both in apposition with $\tau \circ \nu s \ \delta \lambda \wedge \nu s \ \ell \epsilon \ \nu \pi \circ \nu v \nu v v$, off-hand, extempore.

- 9, 10. roû.... diarpiphéirros, the time spent by us in the composition of this discourse. Isocrates was employed ten years, or, according to some, fifteen, in the work. See Plutarch's Life. The meaning of this statement is merely, that he kept it by him for that length of time before publishing it, working upon it as he had leisure, and not that he gave himself exclusively to the composition. He was, besides, laboriously occupied with teaching and study.
- 12, 13. οὐδὲν.... ὅ τι....οὐκ. See Soph. Gr. Gr., § 230, 2.
 - 14. ποιοῦμαι, G. § 49, 1.
- 16. $[\pi\rho\sigma\epsilon\iota\rho\dot{\eta}\sigma\theta\omega$, let this have been said (once for all). G. § 18, 2.
 - 17. εὐθὺς ἐπελθόντες. G. § 109, n. 2.
- 24, 25. συστήσαι ταῦτα, to put these things in train; that is, to bring about the proposed union of the Greeks, for the war against Persia. δθεν αν δυνηθεῖεν. See Soph. Gr. Gr., § 217, 2; G. § 50, 2.
- 25, 26. Τῶν . . . εἰσίν. The two leading states of Greece were Athens and Sparta; the former at the head of the democratical commonwealths, the latter the protector of the oligarchies.
- Page 7, l. 1. δοτις οἷεται (= εἶ τις οἷεται), G. § 61, 1. τοὺς ἄλλους, the others, i. e. besides the Athenians and Lacedaemonians.
- τοὺς προεστῶτας, those who stand at their head, i. e. the Athenians and Lacedaemonians.
- 2, 3. $[\pi \rho i \nu \, \delta \nu \, \delta i \alpha \lambda \lambda \delta \xi_B, \, G. \, \S \, 67, n. \, 2.$ The subjunctive with $\pi \rho i \nu$, when no negative precedes, is very rare.
- 6. τὸ πόλη τούτω, these two states. Another reading is τὸς πόλεις ταύτας.
- 8. ἡγεμονίαs. The ἡγεμονία was the right of taking the precedence assumed by one among several confederated states. The Athenians had enjoyed the supremacy by sea, and the Lacedaemonians by land.

- 10. ταύτας, an emphatic use of the demonstrative, referring back to τὰς πλεονεξίας.
- 12, 13. δυσπείστως έχουσι = δύσπειστοί είσι, by a very common Greek idiom. παρειλήφασι, have received by tradition.
- 14-17. [$\hbar \nu$ ἐπιδείξη τάχ ἀν ἔλθοιεν, instead of saying, if any one shall show them, they will come, &c., he says, if any one shall show them, they would perhaps (under certain circumstances) come.] G. § 54, 1 (a).
- 17, 18. $E_{\chi\rho\eta\nu}$... $d_{\rho\chi\epsilon\sigma\theta\alpha}$. The others therefore (i. e. who have handled this topic) ought to have started from this point. G. § 49, 2, n. 3, and Remarks. $\pi\rho\nu$ $\delta\delta\delta\alpha\xi\alpha\nu$, G. § 66, 3; and examples under § 67, 1.
- 22, 23. προύργου τι, i. e. πρὸ ἔργου = συμφέρου. Coray says, ἀπὸ μεταφορᾶς τῶν πρὸ ἔργου τινὸς ὁφειλομένων τελεῖσθαι, ὧν ἄνευ οὐκ ἔστιν ἐπιχειρῆσαι αὐτῷ τῷ ἔργω. Therefore προύργου τι is properly something before the work, something that must be done as a previous condition, which being done, the thing in question is advanced to its completion; consequently, something that promotes the object in view, something useful.
- Page 8, l. 1. ἀμφισβητεῖ, disputes, in the sense of lays claim to something that is claimed by another; constructed with the genitive of the object claimed.
 - 2. Τοῦτο μέντ has for its correlative Τοῦτο δ (l. 9).
- 2, 3. ἐφ' ἐκάστφ τῶν ἔργων, in each particular case, or matter; ἔργων, partitive genitive.
- 5. ἀπολαβεῖν, to recover; that is, to receive back what one has had before, and has lost.
 - 10. μή, hypothetical negative. G. § 47, 3.
 - 13.\ ἄλλο τι γέρας, any other privilege.
- 17. `όσφ γὰρ ἄν σκοπῆ, G. § 61, 3; § 42, 1. ἀμφοτέρων, both, i. e. precedence in point of time, and pre-eminence in services rendered to the Greeks.
- 18. ἀπολείψομεν τοὺς ἀμφισβητοῦντας, we shall leave behind us those who dispute our claim.

- 20. πάθα πασιν ἀνθρώποις, among all mankind, in the whole world.
- 21. οὖτω....οὖσης. The word ὑπόθεσις is variously explained. 1. The foundation of the city. 2. The subject of discourse. 3. The basis or foundation on which the discourse is built. With so noble a foundation (i. e. as the acknowledgment of the antiquity, the greatness, and the fame of Athens), we have still stronger claims to honor for what is established upon this; the sense briefly being, This is an honorable beginning for us; but our claims to precedence, founded on historical facts subsequent or additional to this, are still more decisive.
 - 25. μιγάδες συλλεγέντες, collected promiscuously.
 - 26. έξ ήσπερ έφυμεν, G. § 59.
- 27. δοτε διατελούμεν, G. § 65, 3. αὐτόχθονες, children of the soil. This was the peculiar boast of the Athenians. The portion of the Ionic race that settled originally in Attica was less disturbed by changes, revolutions, and migrations than the populations of the other parts of Greece. They could trace their history back into the legendary and mythical times in a more unbroken line than the other Hellenes.
- Page 9, l. 2. Exorres. Bremi remarks: "Notandum idem vocabulum tam brevi spatio recurrens; cujusmodi negligentiae in Isocrate rarae sunt, nec tamen omnino nullae."
- 5. τοὺς εὐλόγως μέγα φρονοῦντας, those who pride themselves with good reason.
- 6, 7. πατρίων πολλάκις μεμνημένους, often boasting of their hereditary honors; a sarcastic allusion to the Lacedaemonians, and their self-glorification upon their supposed descent from the Heraclidae. The implication conveyed in the whole sentence is, that the Lacedaemonians can rest their claims on no such grounds.
 - 14-17. εὐρήσομεν οὖσαν. In this sentence, the

first genitive, τῶν κινδύνων, is dependent on alrian only by zeulgma, being properly governed by some word to be mentally supplied. The meaning is, For we shall find her not only distinguished in endurance of the perils of war, but also the originator of the rest of the civil order, &c. "Κατασκενή raro de institutionibus quae fundamentum habent in rerum civilium ordine." Bremi. ἐν ἢ κατοικοῦμεν καὶ μεθ ἢς πολιτενόμεθα καὶ δι' ἡν ζῆν δυνάμεθα. "Tria hic respiciuntur: primum, quod silvas agrosque relinquentes domicilia constituimus; alterum, quod ex vita agresti ad civilem cultum pervenimus; tertium, quod ingenii mentisque vires excoluimus." Bremi. — For οδσαν, see G. § 113.

19-22. διαλαθούσας μνημονευομένας. "Si ad propriam vocabulorum vim respicimus, primum λεγομένας respondet posteriori κατασιωπηθείσας, et alterum μνημονευομένας priori διαλαθούσας. Haec est interdum oppositionis ratio etiam apud scriptores antiquissimos, eaque subtilis et elegans." Bremi.

25. εὶ γέγονεν, G. § 49, 1.

26, 27. ἀφικομένης, άρπασθείσης, G. § 110, 1; § 109, 1.

Page 10, l. 2, 8. τοῖς μεμνημένοις, the initiated, i. e. in the Eleusinian mysteries, celebrated in honor of Demeter and Persephone. On account of their pre-eminent importance they are frequently spoken of as the mysteries. Their origin is to be traced back, as Isocrates intimates, to the mythical times, — being attributed by some to Eumolpus, and by others to Erechtheus. The tradition adopted by Isocrates is that which assigns their foundation to Demeter herself, who, while wandering in search of her daughter, Persephone, came to Attica, and, being kindly received, rewarded the people by giving them the fruits of the earth, and the sacred rites, which were regarded as the holiest institutions of the Hellenic religion.

Whatever was the origin of these mysteries, they were

celebrated in the historical times with extraordinary devotion. Initiation was eagerly sought by educated persons all over Greece: for, before the time of Herodotus, all except the Barbarians were admitted to the privilege. There were two celebrations annually; - the Lesser Mysteries, held at Agrae, on the Ilissus, in the month Anthesterion, and designed as a preparation for the Greater; the latter celebrated during a period of nine days, from the fifteenth to the twenty-third of the third Attic month. Boedromion, corresponding to the last half of September and the first of October. Each day had its peculiar ceremonies. The city of Athens was crowded with visitors from every part of the Grecian world. There was the procession to the sea-coast for purification; fasting and sacrifice; the sacred procession with the basket of pomegranates and poppy-seeds, borne on a wagon drawn by oxen, and followed by women with mystic cases in their hands; the torch procession to the temple of Demeter in Eleusis, led by the δαδοῦχος; the carrying of the statue of Iacchus, the son of Demeter, along the sacred road from the Cerameicus to Eleusis, with an immense number of followers and spectators, amidst songs and shouts of jov. In the night, between the sixth and seventh day, the candidates were initiated into the last mysteries, repeated the oath of secrecy, were purified anew, were conducted into the lighted sanctuary (φωταγωγία), where they beheld what none else were ever permitted to see. On the seventh day, the initiated returned to Athens, indulging in raillery and saturnalian jests, especially as they crossed the bridge of the Cephissus. Other but less important rites filled up the remaining days. Games and contests also gave variety to the scene.

But little is known of the secret doctrines taught there. Whatever they might have been, the ancients regarded them with reverence and awe. Thirlwall says: "They

were the remains of a worship which preceded the rise of the Hellenic mythology and its attendant rites, grounded on a view of nature less fanciful, more earnest, and better fitted to awaken both philosophical thought and religious feeling." This view is apparently sustained by the glimpses of religious doctrine given us by Isocrates, in the words, he οί μετασχόντες περί τε της του βίου τελευτης και του σύμπαντος alwoos ήδίους τὰς έλπίδας έχουσιν. In illustration of which. see Cicero de Legg. 11. 14: "Nam mihi cum multa eximia divinaque videantur Athenae tuae peperisse, atque in vita hominum attulisse, tum nihil melius illis mysteriis, quibus ex agresti immanique vita exculti ad humanitatem et mitigati sumus; initiaque ut appellantur, ita revera principia vitae cognovimus, neque solum cum laetitia vivendi rationem accepimus, sed etiam cum spe meliore moriendi." The fact, that the immortality of the soul was taught to the initiated, is clearly pointed out by many ancient writers. Among the number, Plato, Phaedo, p. 69, C.: "¿ dè κεκαθαρμένος τε καλ τετελεσμένος έκεισε άφικόμενος μετά θεών ολκήσει."

- 4, 5. τοῦ μὴ ζῆν, G. § 95, 1; § 92, 1, N. 2 (end).
- 11. τὰ μέν, i. e. the mysteries.
- 12. τῶν &, the productions of the earth, in acknowledgment of which the first fruits were sent every year to Athens.
 - 14. εδίδαξεν, subject, ή πόλις ήμων.
 - 15. προστεθέντων, G. § 109, 6; § 52, 1.
- 18. ως ἀρχαίων ὅντων, on the ground that they are antiquated. G. § 109, N. 4; § 110, 1, N. 1.
 - 20, 21. διὰ τὸ ἀκηκοέναι, G. § 18, 3.
- 23, 24. τὸν λόγον καὶ τὴν φήμην. "'O λόγος narratio, quatenus hominum sermone et testimonio nititur; ἡ φήμη quatenus propria narrationis origo parum cognita est, sed illa divino quasi numine propagata est." Bremi. παρειλήφαμεν, we have received by tradition.
 - 25. σημείοις μείζοσιν, weightier arguments.

Page 11, l. 2. ταῖς δ' ἐκλειπούσαις. "Quod Morus conjicit, ἐκλιπούσαις, primo adspectu et propter aoristum προσέταξεν et quod de re facta sermo est, aptior videtur. Sed subtilis est et vera Coraëi animadversio, propter πολλάκις praesens positum esse, quum res saepius facta notetur. Nempe aoristus participii et modi obliqui una de re nec adjecto adverbio, quod repetitionis notionem habet, ponitur." Bremi. The principle involved here is, that the aorist of the participle and the oblique modes is used to denote a single act, but the present to denote habitual or repeated action.

[The distinction of time between the present and aorist participles, which is quite as marked as in the indicative, is overlooked by Bremi in his note. The present participle refers to a continued or repeated action, present with reference to the time of the leading verb, while the aorist refers to a single or momentary action, past with reference to that time. On this principle industrial is perfectly correct here: the meaning is, the Pythia often commanded those states which from time to time failed in their duty. The aorist would have meant, those who (on some one former occasion) had failed.]

- 3. τὰ μέρη τῶν καρπῶν, the portions of the fruits; i. e. the established or customary portion. According to Coray, the orator alludes to the sacrifice of the προηροσία, at the beginning of the ploughing season, which the Athenians offered for all the Greeks. A famine having spread all over the land, the oracle at Delphi was consulted as to the means of averting it. The response directed that the Athenians should sacrifice the προηροσία in behalf of the Greeks. When this was done, the calamity ceased; and by way of showing their gratitude, the cities sent to the Athenians yearly the firstlings of all their fruits.
- 7. συνδοκεί, acquiesce. καὶτε. The first conjunction connects the remainder of the sentence with what pre-

cedes; re is correlative with sal in the following clause, the two connecting the subordinate clauses.

- 11. τὸν βίον, the life of man; the condition of human life.
- 13, 14. συνεπορίσαντο, furnished themselves by united efforts.
- 15, 16. † ζητοῦντας αὐτοὺς ἐντυχεῖν, or to have found it themselves by searching. G. § 109, 2; § 23, 2. With λαβεῖν supply τὸν βίον; with ἐντυχεῖν, αὐτῷ, referring to the same, i. e. the conveniences and refinements of life. For the construction of two verbs governing different cases, one case only being expressed, see Matt., Gr. Gr., § 428, 2.
- 16, 17. δμολογουμένους γενομένους. With δμολογείσθαι, and some other words, the participle is constructed instead of the infinitive; here, = γενέσθαι, those who are admitted by all to have been. G. § 113; § 73, 2. [On the same principle, δντας and διακειμένους = είναι and διακείσθαι.] καὶ τε, see above (line 7).
- 17, 18. εὐφυεστάτους, best endowed by nature; having the finest natural genius.
- 18. τὰ τῶν θεῶν. "Omnem deorum cultum amplissimo sensu complecti potest, quicquid homines praestare diis operteat. Possit etiam esse simplex periphrasis pro οἱ θεοἰ. Praefero prius." Bremi. The devotion of the Athenians to the worship of the gods was one of their well-known characteristics. St. Paul's happy allusion to it in his discourse on the Areopagus will occur to every one.
- 22, 23. τοῖς πεπραγμένοις, the things that have been done, the facts. "Ipsis beneficiis, quae sunt in facto posita." Morus.
- 26. Π_{epl} &. For the complete illustration of this part of the eulogy on Athens, see the Funeral Oration of Pericles, Thucyd. II. 35, seqq.
- 27. της χώρας. "Intelligitur regionis ambitus, quam complectebatur Isocratis tempore Έλλάς, Graecia." Bremi.

"Ejus terrae, quam nos incolimus, quae ab Attica et Boeotia (nam hae duae partes vetustissimis temporibus Graecia supra Isthmum fuisse videntur, id quod de Athenis constat, de Thebis intelligitur, c. 15) usque ad Macedoniam pertinuit, et postea Ἑλλάδος nomen habuit.... Etiam barbaros intelligimus eos qui tum finitimi Atticae et Boeotiae fuerunt, communique nomine Thraces et Scythae dicti videntur, quorum nomina vaga significatio; utrique tamen imperium Europae habuerunt..... Hos Thraces coegerunt Athenienses recedere versus Septentrionem, et Graeciae fines promoverunt; nam inter Thraces et Atticam Boeotiamque orta est Thessalia, Epirus, Macedonia." Mor.

Page 12, l. 1-6. For karéxorras and the other participles after $\delta\rho\hat{\omega}\sigma a$, see G. § 113; § 73, 2. Notice the change of tense. — $\sigma\phi i\sigma \nu$ advois, one another, = $d\lambda\lambda\dot{\eta}\lambda\sigma is$. See Soph., Gr. Gr., § 161, N. 3. For a description of the state of things here alluded to, see Thucyd., beginning of Lib. I.

- 10. ἐφ' ἐκατέρας τὴς ἡπείρου. "In utraque terrae parte, Europa scilicet et Asia. Antiquos enim terram in duas tantum partes divisisse constat, eam quam norant Africae partem modo Europae modo Asiae tribuentes. Cf. Ukert, Geographie der Griechen und Römer, 1 Theiles 2te Abth., p. 280, seqq." Bremi.
 - 15. περιεβάλοντο τὸν τόπον, occupied the region.
- 16-18. "Ωστε.... ἐποίησαν. ["Ωστε, constructed with the infinitive, expresses simply the result, real or aimed at; with the indicative, as here, it states the result more prominently as an actual fact. Still it is often indifferent which of the two is used.] See G. § 65, 3.— ἀποικίσαι, to colonize.
- 19, 20. οὐ διακινδυνεύειν, for it was not necessary for them continually to incur hazard in acquiring territory. G. § 49, 2, N. 2, Rem. 3. "τὴν ὑφ' ἡμῶν ἀφορισθεῖσαν, quae finibus nostra opera constitutis, a barbarorum regnis divisa et Graeca facta est." Morus. ταύτην, demonstrative pronoun, emphatic repetition.

- 23. πρὶν οἰκισθῆναι, G. § 106.
- 24-26. $\tau \eta s \dots \pi poayayoù \sigma \eta s$, than that which caused the barbarians to be expelled from their seats, and advanced the Greeks to so great prosperity.

Page 13, l. 2. εὐρεῖν. In apposition with ἀρχὴν ταύτην, in the preceding line.

- 3, 4. ήνπερ χρή (i. e. εὐρεῖν) διοικήσειν, which it is necessary that those who would make suitable provision in other matters should find, or secure.
- 4, 5. τον έπι τούτοις μόνον, life with these alone; i. e. the bare necessaries of life. τοῦ ἐπιθυμεῖν, G. § 95, 1. ἔχειν represents ἔχει of the direct discourse; G. § 15, 2.
- 7. δσα μὴ ἔχομεν, G. § 61, 1. [Mή is used because the antecedent of δσα is indefinite. G. § 58, 3.]
- 10. Παραλαβοῦσα γάρ, For having received, or rather, in this place, having found.
 - 12. ὑπὸ . . . ὑβριζομένους, oppressed by despotisms.
- 14, 15. τῶν ποιήσασα, by becoming mistress of the one, and by making herself an example to the others.
- 15, 16. νόμονς ἔθετο. The individual who proposes a law is said νόμον θεῖναι; the political authority which enacts it, νόμον θέσθαι. πολιτείαν κατεστήσατο, established a constitutional government.
- 18, 19. βουληθέντες ἀλλήλους, wishing to settle their differences with one another by reason, and not by violence. "Notanda haec oppositio λόγου καὶ βίας, quam Latini faciunt per orationem et vim." Br. ἐν τοῖς νόμοις. "Praepositio hic notionem verbi habet, v. c. ἐμμένοντες χρώμενοι, et adjunctam notionem sedulitatis et assiduitatis." Br.
- 20. κρίσιε is the general term for trial, in a legal sense; κρίνειν, to bring to trial.
- 21-23. Tás Té.... $\mu\epsilon\mu\eta\chi\alpha\eta\mu\dot{\epsilon}$ vas, those that are useful for the necessities of life, and those which have been invented for pleasure; i. e. the useful and the ornamental arts.
 - 25. diolkyguv. Here, the constitution of civil society.

Elsewhere, administration; sometimes, treasury department.

- 25, 26. πρὸς ἄπαντας οἰκείως, liberally towards all. "Quasi in proprium usum, ut quisque inveniret quae in suam rem cederent." Br.
- 27. ἀπολαῦσαι . . . ἐπιθυμοῦσιν, desirous to enjoy their property.

Page 14, l. 4. ήδίστας διατριβάς, most agreeable pastimes, or resources to make their residence pleasant.

- 5. αὐτάρκη, self-sufficing; i. e. producing all that is needed. The honor claimed for Athens here is, that, by establishing a great commercial centre, she enabled the different parts of Greece to interchange their commodities, and thus to supply their own and each other's deficiencies in a manner equally advantageous to both. This mart or emporium was the Peiraeus, which, though not geographically in the midst of Greece, as Isocrates rhetorically describes it, was yet conveniently situated and easy of access for commercial Strabo has given a minute description of this port. Leake (Topography of Athens, p. 300) says: "The security of the Athenian harbors, whose different capacities were so well suited to the several stages of the naval power of Athens, conspired, with the peninsular form of the province, with its position relatively to the surrounding coasts of Greece and Asia, with the richness of the Attic silver-mines, and even with the general poverty of the Attic soil, to produce a combination of circumstances the best adapted to encourage the development of commercial industry, and of nautical skill and enterprise." See also Cramer's Ancient Greece, Vol. II. pp. 348, 353. Thucydides (II. 38), speaking of Athens, says: ἐπεισέρχεται δὲ διὰ μέγεθος τῆς πόλεως ἐκ πάσης γης τὰ πάντα.
- 18, 14. πυρίσασθαι, to furnish one's self with, to procure.
 - 15. πανηγύρεις, festal assemblies, like the Olympian, Pyth-

ian, Nemean, and Isthmian. See note, pp. 63, 64. The following sentences briefly describe the advantages of these festivals, which brought together in friendly relations so many persons belonging to the different Greek races, arresting for the time, at least, existing hostilities, uniting men in common sacrifices, giving opportunities to renew old friendships and to form new ones, and affording useful and entertaining occupation both for those who came simply as spectators and for those who had trained themselves for the games.

16. ὅτι παρέδοσαν. G. § 81, 1.

24, 25. τοῖς ἰδιώταις, the private persons; i. e. those who were not candidates for any of the public honors in the games. — τοῖς διενεγκοῦσι τὴν φύσιν, those who excel in natural endowments. — ἀργόν, literally idle; here, useless, or without advantage.

27. τὰς αὐτῶν εὐτυχίας, their own talents. Wieland. "Sunt virtutes quas quis fautricem ad eas naturam adeptus, levi opera sibi acquisivit, quas vero, si maleficiam nactus esset naturam, acquirere sibi nunquam potuisset." Br. "Bona animi, corporis, rerum externarum, quorum omnium documenta dantur in illis conventibus, ut animi, recitando; corporis, pugnando; divitiarum, χορηγία ἱπποτροφία, et omnino λειτουργίαις." Morus.

Page 15, l. 3. $\dot{\epsilon}\phi'$ ois ϕ iλοτιμηθώσιν, those things upon which they may pride themselves. G. § 65, 1, n. 3.

[The subjunctive and optative are very rare in this construction in Attic Greek, the future indicative being the only regular form. In Homer, however, the subjunctive and optative are commonly used, this older construction corresponding precisely with the Latin, as the relation of the two languages would lead us to expect. Another (doubtful) Attic example of the subjunctive may be found in Thuc. VII. 25, πρέσβεις ἄγουσα, οἴπερ φράσωσιν, καὶ...ἐποτρύνωσιν. Krüger, in his note on this passage of Thucydides (2d edit.,

- 1861), is very severe on those who retain οἶπερ with the subjunctive, for which he substitutes ὅπως on the authority of a single MS. He explains φιλοτιμηθώσιν in the present passage of Isocrates as a subjunctive in an (indirect) dubitative question. The following examples of the agrist optative, however, show at least that the older construction was not unknown to the Attic poets: - ανδρα δ' οὐδέν' ἔντοπον, οὐδ' ὅστις ἀρκέσειεν οὐδ' ὅστις . . . συλλάβοιτο, Soph. Phil. 280; - γόνιμον δε ποιητήν αν ούχ εύροις έτι ζητών αν, όστις ρήμα γενναΐον λάκοι, Aristoph. Ran. 96. In vs. 98 of the Frogs we find the regular Attic construction, δοτις Φθέγξεται, referring to precisely the same thing as dores dance above. Both these examples of the optative must be explained as relative sentences, and the subjunctive is certainly not more objectionable than the optative. Nor can the present example from Isocrates be explained as interrogative without great violence to the sense; the idea is not, that they may know what they are to glory in; but, that they may have things in which they may glory. See also, υφ' ου πεισθέντες πρόοισθε, Dem. Phil. II. § 8. See additional note, p. 135.]
 - 3, 4. ὅταν . . . ἐνθυμηθῶσιν, G. § 61, 3.
- 5. τὴν σφετέραν θεωρίαν. The θεωρία, in its special sense, was the public deputation sent by the several states to represent them at these assemblies. It consisted of the most distinguished citizens, and was equipped with splendor and at great expense. Demosthenes once served as ἀρχιθέωρος, or chief of the deputation from Athens to the Isthmian games. In its broader sense, θεωρία signifies the whole exhibition of the festival.
- 8-14. The number of festivals held at Athens made it the most brilliant capital of antiquity. These were partly under the management of the state, and partly furnished at the cost of wealthy or public-spirited individuals. They were celebrated by processions, choruses, musical contests, gymnastic games, and every other imaginable exhibition

that could call into exercise the creative genius of the Athenian people, and draw together crowds of people from the whole civilized world. The most interesting of these were the Eleusinian Mysteries, the Panathenaea, and the Dionysiac festivals, the last immortalized by having given occasion to the production of the Athenian dramatic literature. But there was scarcely a month in the year which was not marked by the cessation of business and the occurrence of some entertainment, embellished by the display of feats of bodily strength, or by the beautiful productions of genius and art. See Clouds of Aristophanes, 299 – 313. —

έν τῷ πλησιάζειν ἀλλήλοις, in holding intercourse with each other. — εἶ τι . . . ἐστι, G. § 49, 1.

18. ῥώμης.... γνώμης. "In oppositione ῥώμης καὶ γνώμης, soni similitudinem spectat Isocrates, quam figuram perdite amat." Br.

22, 23. &στε ἀγαπᾶσθαι. "στι πολύ τὸ σεμνὸν αὶ 'Αθῆναι πάλαι ποτὲ εἶχον, δηλοῖ καὶ ὁ εἰπὰν τὰς 'Αθῆνας, 'Ελλ ά-δος Μουσεῖον. Έτι δὲ καὶ ὁ Πίνδαρος, 'Ελλ ά δος αὐτὰς ἔρεισμα καλέσας, καὶ Θουκυδίδης 'Ελλ ά δος 'Ελλ ά δα." Eustathius,—cited by Bremi, who points out the verbal mistake of attributing precisely this expression to Thucydides. He, however, does represent Pericles as saying, λέγω τὴν πᾶσαν πόλιν τῆς 'Ελλάδος παίδευσιν εἶναι. II. 41. Some of the touches in Milton's magnificent description of Athens were probably suggested by these paragraphs of Isocrates. I insert the lines in this place:—

"Look once more, ere we leave this specular mount, Westward, much nearer by southwest, behold Where on the Aegean shore a city stands, Built nobly, pure the air, and light the soil; Athens, the eye of Greece, mother of arts And eloquence, native to famous wits, Or hospitable, in her sweet recess, City or suburban, studious walks and shades. See there the olive-grove of Academe,

Plato's retirement, where the Attic bird Trills her thick-warbled notes the summer long; There flowery hill Hymettus with the sound Of bees' industrious murmur oft invites To studious musing; there Ilissus rolls His whispering stream. Within the walls then view The schools of ancient sages; his who bred Great Alexander to subdue the world. Lyceum there, and painted Stoa next. There shalt thou hear and learn the secret power Of harmony, in tones and numbers hit By voice or hand: and various-measured verse. Aeolian charms and Dorian lyric odes, And his who gave them breath, but higher sung. Blind Melesigenes, thence Homer called, Whose poem Phoebus challenged for his own: Thence what the lofty grave tragedians taught In Chorus or Iambic, teachers best Of moral prudence, with delight received, In brief sententious precepts, while they treat Of fate, and chance, and change in human life: High actions and high passions best describing. Thence to the famous orators repair, Those ancient, whose resistless eloquence Wielded at will that fierce democraty. Shook the arsenal, and fulmined over Greece. To Macedon, and Artaxerxes' throne. To sage philosophy next lend thine ear, From heaven descended to the low-roofed house Of Socrates: see there his tenement. Whom well inspired the oracle pronounced Wisest of men; from whose mouth issued forth Mellifluous streams that watered all the schools Of Academics old and new, with those Surnamed Peripatetics, and the sect Epicurean, and the Stoic severe."

Paradise Regained, Book IV. 1. 236 - 280.

24, 25. διὰ πολλοῦ χρόνου, at long intervals. — ταχίως διελύθησαν, are soon dissolved. This is the frequentative or gnomic acrist, or that particular usage by which a single instance of an action is put for the general fact, G. § 30, 1.

See Hadley's Gr. 707. Most of the panegyrical assemblies lasted but a few days. They met at intervals of two or four years. See ante, p. 63.

27. Φιλοσοφίαν. "Qualem Cicero descripsit, Tusc. V. 2." Mor. A part of the passage referred to is the following: "O vitac philosophia dux! O virtutis indagatrix, expultrixque vitiorum! Quid sed omnino vita hominum sine te esse potuisset? Tu urbes peperisti; tu dissipatos homines in societatem vitae convocasti; tu eos inter se primo domiciliis, deinde conjugiis, tum literarum et vocum communione junxisti; tu inventrix legum; tu magistra morum et disciplinae fuisti." — συνεξεῦρε, assisted in finding out. "In inveniendo excolendoque adjuvit ingenium." Mor.

Page 16, l. 3, 4. τάς τε διείλε, has distinguished between those which happen through ignorance and those which spring from necessity. The genitive τῶν συμφορῶν depends on the partitive expressions τάς τε, καὶ τάς, each being a part of the whole.

- 6. λόγους, words; i. e. arguments, or the power of discussing moral and intellectual subjects.
- 9, 10. πλεονεκτήσαντες διηνέγκαμεν. The force of the aorist participle, and the aorist of the verb, thus connected, is, having gained an advantage in this, we have gained the superiority in all other things; the latter expressing a result of the state of things described by the former.
- 11. τὰς τύχας, the fortunes; i. e. of the human race, of men. οδσας, G. § 113; § 73, 2. [The other participles depending on ὁρῶσα μετόν, ὅντας, διαφέροντας, γιγνωσκομένους, γιγνομένους, ἀποδεδειγμένον, δυναμένους, ὅντας are in the same construction, resembling that of the infinitive. Each tense of the participle represents the same tense of the indicative in the direct discourse. In the single case of μετόν the neuter singular is used, because it represents an impersonal verb; the construction in the direct discourse would have been τῶν λόγων οὐ μέτεστι τοῖς φαύλοις. See G. § 113, n. 8,

- and the example there quoted from Demosth. in Eubul. p. 1299, 4: πειράσομαι δείξαι καὶ μετόν τῆς πόλεως ἡμῶν καὶ πεπονθότα ἐμαυτὸν οὺχὶ προσήκοντα, the direct discourse being μέτεστι τῆς πόλεως ἡμῶν, καὶ πέπονθα αὐτός, &c.]
- 14. μετόν takes the genitive of the thing shared (λογῶν τῶν καλῶς καὶ τεχνικῶς ἐχόντων), and the dative of the person sharing (τοῖς φαύλοις).
- 15. övras agrees with λόγους, to be supplied from the connection.
- 17, 18. τοὺs τeθραμμένους, those who have been liberally educated from their earliest years.
- 20, 21. γιγνωσκομένους γιγνομένους, &c. The present of the participle is used here to designate what ordinarily takes place; in the indicative, the agrist is often so used.
- 22. ἀποδεδειγμένον. The perfect is here used to designate what is established and fixed, what has been settled as a general truth.
- 26. 27. περὶ τὸ φρονεῖν καὶ λέγειν, with respect to reasoning and speaking; or the understanding and eloquence.

Page 17, l. 1. yeyóvar, G. § 17, n. 3.

- 4. καλεῖσθαι. The subject of this infinitive is τοὺς τῆς παιδεύσεως μετέχοντας, and Έλληνας is in the predicate.
- 8. ἀπορῶν. The participle here may be rendered because I am at a loss. G. § 109, 4.
 - 9. εἰρήσθω. G. § 18, 2. See note on p. 6, l. 16.
 - 11. τῶν κινδύνων, the perils which they incurred.
 - 16. τον χρόνον, the time; i. e. of their existence.
- 17, 18. rois adikovuérois del, those who were wronged for the time being, whoever they might be. Present participle expressing the repeated action or condition.
- 18, 19. Διὸ δὴ καὶ, Now for this very reason they even.— is βουλευομένων, G. § 109, n. 4.
- 21, 22. δοπερ.... τοιούτους, as if such words were not on the side of those who are desirous of praising us. Con-

struction accusative absolute. For this particular construction of the accusative absolute, see Kühner, § 312, 6, d; and G. § 110, 2, n. 1. See note on p. 5, l. 17.

26. τὰ συμβαίνοτ'. The present participle, to describe what usually happens.

Page 18, l. 1, 2. Tois kpeirtoot ovradikeir, to join the more powerful in doing wrong, in committing injustice.—
TOW AUGUSTEADURTOS EVERA, for the sake of profit.

- 3. yvoin av, G. § 52, 2.
- 9. 'Hpanhéous waides. In his survey of the claims to be asserted by Athens for the precedence, Isocrates goes back to the mythical ages before the Trojan war. The legend of Heracles, or Hercules, is placed, in the assumed chronology, at about the year 1300 B.C. By a fraud of Hera upon Zeus, Heracles was subjected to the commands of Eurystheus. After his death, his children were driven from the Peloponnesus. They fled first to Ceÿx, king of Trachiniae; thence to Athens, where Theseus received them kindly and gave them aid against Eurystheus. Eurystheus was killed in battle by Hyllus, son of Heracles. Parts of this legend are embodied in the Heracleidae of Euripides.
- 10. "Αδραστος δ Ταλαοῦ. The legend of Adrastus, the son of Talaus, connects itself with the legends of the Theban line of sovereigns,—the house of Labdacus, Laius, and Oedipus. The principal names in the mythical times of Thebes are Cadmus, B. C. 1500; Polydorus, 1400; Labdacus and Laius, between 1400 and 1300. Oedipus was the fated son of Laius, whose history is so well known from the Oedipus Tyrannus of Sophocles. His "self-detected crimes" banished him from Thebes to the sacred ground of the Eumenides in Colonos, near Athens. His children by the ill-fated Jocasta, "by a twofold title, his mother and wife," were Eteocles and Polyneices, with their sisters Antigone and Ismene. The brothers were to reign by alternate years; but Eteocles refused, at the end of his year, to

resign the throne to his brother. This occasioned the first war of Thebes. Polyneices fled to Argos, and married the daughter of the Argive king. Adrastus. The alliance of "The Seven Chiefs" was formed, including Adrastus, Tydeus, Polyneices, Capaneus, Amphiaraus, Hippomedon, and Parthenopacus. They invaded Thebes; a battle was fought under the walls, and all the chiefs were slain except Adrastus. The two brothers, Eteocles and Polyneices, fell by The Thebans refused to surrender the each other's hands. dead. Adrastus fled to Athens, and received the succor of the Athenians. From these legends the tragic poets drew the subjects of many of their pieces. Among those still preserved, the Seven against Thebes of Aeschvlus, the Oedipus Tyrannus, Oedipus Coloneus, and Antigone of Sophocles, and the Phoenissae and Suppliants of Euripides, are founded upon the story of the Theban line.

- 13. $dve\lambda \acute{e}\sigma\theta au$, to take up, or recover, for burial. The sacred duty of burying the dead was laid upon the survivors by the most solemn sanctions of the Hellenic religion. The neglect of this duty was an offence against the most binding laws; to hinder its performance drew down upon the perverse and guilty man the direct vengeance of the gods.
- 15, 16. γιγνομένους, καταλυόμενον, G. § 112, 1. See note on p. 16, l. 11.
- 18, 19. ως οὐκ ἀν δυναμένας. [δυναμένας ἄν here represents δύναιντο ἄν.] G. § 41, 1. For ως with the causal participle, see G. § 109, n. 4.
- 23, 24. ήγεμονικῶς είχε, was fit to rule. "Par imperio fuit." Mor.
 - 25. τοὺς ὑφ' ἐτέροις, those under the control of others.
- 26. ἄλλως τε καί, quum aliter tum, not only in other respects, but also. Kühner, Gr. Gr., § 321 (a).

Page 19, 1. 4, 5. $\mu i \nu \dots \delta i$, both and. The same co-ordination is effected in lines 7 and 9 by the same particles.

- 8. Bárbar, G. § 97, n. 1.
- 10. μαχόμενοι, in battle. Participial construction.
- 13. Ob ἐποίησαν, They did not do it wanting a little; i. e. they did not fall short a little of doing it. Coray explains παρὰ μικρόν τι ποιεῖν as μικρὸν δεῖν ποιεῖν τι; i. e. to want but little of doing a thing, to come near doing a thing without actually accomplishing it. Translate the whole phrase, They did not fail to do it.
- 18. Ικίτης ήναγκάσθη καταστήναι, was compelled to take the position of a suppliant.
- 20, 21. τούτφ depends on ἐπιτάττων, though λυμαινόμενος may also be constructed with the dative, as well as with the accusative. For the participles with διετέλεσεν, see G. § 112, 2.
 - 23. ἐπὶ τοῖς παισὶ τοῖς ἐκείνου, in the power of his children.
- 25, 26. Πολλών.... Λακεδαιμονίων. Literally, There existing many services to us, towards the city of the Lacedaemonians; i. e. Many services having been rendered by us to the Lacedaemonians.

Page 20, l. 3. κατῆλθον. According to the legends, the Heracleidae had not long repossessed themselves of their hereditary abodes, when they were again driven into exile in consequence of a pestilence, which was supposed to indicate the anger of Heaven. Once more they took refuge in Attica. Their second restoration appears in history as the "Return of the Heracleidae," which represents the invasion of the Peloponnesus by the Dorians, and the establishment of Dorian reigning families in the principal Peloponnesian cities, as Argos, Sparta, Messene. The double royal line at Sparta, the Eurysthenidae and Proclidae, claimed to be descended from Hercules through these Heracleid or Dorian leaders. Their direct ancestors were Eurysthenes and Procles. See Grote's History of Greece, Vol. II.; Müller's Dorians, Vol. I.

7. έχρην μηδέποτ' είσβαλείν, μηδέ άξιούν, G. § 49, 2,

- n. 3. A protasis is understood, implying an unfulfilled condition. G. § 52. 2.
 - 15. ἀνελόντας, having set aside, or put out of the question.
 - 16, 17. οὐ δή που . . . ἐστιν, it is not assuredly.
 - 23. διατελοῦσαι (sc. οὖσαι), G. § 112, 2.
- 23 Page 21, l. 3. Φαίνονται διασώσαντες. This sentence, though clear in meaning, is of doubtful construction. In some editions, this and the following sentence are joined into one. See the note of Spohn upon the passage. Wolf's explanation is: "δστε ἐπιτάττοντες, ἀντὶ τού ἐπέταξαν. Videtur numeros spectasse potius quam constructionem." The construction is therefore an anacoluthon, or rather a species of attraction. Says Baiter: "Quae pendere debebant exparticipio τοσοῦτον διενεγκόντες δστε referuntur ad verbum primarium φαίνονται." Perhaps we may construct all the participles with some verb easily to be inferred from φαίνονται, or even with φαίνονται itself repeated, so that the clauses which follow δστε contain the particulars included in the general expression, τοσοῦτον ἀπάντων διενεγκόντες.
- 3. "Ωστε. "Verba &στε.... δυνηθείη totam argumentationem claudunt, recteque a proxime antecedentibus majori interpunctione sejunguntur." Baiter.
- 6-8. τῶν πεπραγμένων. This construction, in speaking of what has been done by one party in either friendly or hostile intercourse with another, the dative of the former, and the accusative with the preposition εἰς οτ πρός of the latter, is very common in the orators. ἄλλως τ' ἐπειδὴ καί. Coray edits, ἄλλως τε καὶ ἐπειδή. The distinction, pointed out by Hermann (ad Viger. p. 780), is, that in the formula ἄλλως τε καί "ad ea spectat ἄλλως quae praeferimus, καί autem ad illud quod ut momentum praeferendi hoc ipso loco et tempore ponimus. In ἄλλως τε illud quod praecipuum est per ἄλλως significatur." Translate here, for other reasons, and especially because; ἐπειδὴ καί, in this formula, introducing the principal ground for the selection of this topic.

9. [ἐξαριθμῶν is equivalent to εἰ with the present optative, and forms the protasis to λίαν ἃν μακρολογοίην. G. § 52, 1; § 109, 6.]

12-16. "Econ.... Stantisticana. In this sentence and the following paragraph the orator reverts to incidents partly legendary, and partly, perhaps, historical. The story of the Thracian invasion, under the leader Eumolpus, is placed in the time of Erechtheus; that of the Scythians, in the time of Theseus. Eumolpus was fabled to be the son of Poseidon and Chione. He was thrown into the sea and borne to Aethiopia, and thence returned to Thrace. In consequence of a conspiracy in which he was involved, he fled to Attica, where he was initiated in the Eleusinian Mysteries, and made an Hierophant. He afterwards engaged in a war with Erechtheus, called the Eleusinian war. Both were slain, but the priesthood remained hereditary in the Eumolpid family, and was held by them nearly twelve hundred years.

The legend of the Amazons was one of the most widely diffused of all the fabulous traditions of the Greeks. They were the daughters of Ares and Harmonia, and appear in poetry and fiction as a nation or race of warrior women, as early as the Iliad. The name of one Amazonian queen was Penthesilea. The Argonauts found them on the Thermodon, where Hercules attacked them. They invaded Attica in the time of Theseus, and were defeated. The place of the battle was pointed out near the Pnyx. This legend was deeply inwrought in the national traditions, and was a favorite subject of Hellenic art. The existence of such a nation was believed in by many of the ablest men among the ancients, as Herodotus, Lysias, Plato, Isocrates. Even the historians of Alexander the Great pretended, that, in his campaigns in the East, he was visited by Thalestris, the queen of the Amazons at that time. The existence of the Amazons was an article of popular belief down to the Roman times. Suetonius states it as the opinion of Julius Caesar, that they had once held possession of the greater part of Asia. In the triumph of Aurelian, after the defeat of Zenobia, queen of Palmyra, some Gothic women were proclaimed in the procession as Amazons. See Smith's Dict. of Gr. and Rom. Antiq., Art. Amazons.

The Scythians, Thracians, and Persians were described as among the most powerful ancient nations. Herodotus (V. 3) 8248: Θρηίκιον δὲ ἔθνος μέγιστόν ἐστι, μετά γε Ἰνδούς, πάντων ἀνθρώπων. The nation of the Thracians is the greatest of the whole human race, next to the Indi; to which he adds, that, if they were governed by one man, they would be invincible. Pausanias (I. 9, § 6) says that the Thracians are more numerous than any other race, except the Kelts. Thucydides (II. 97) describes the Thracian empire as opulent and powerful. In Xenophon's Memorabilia (II. 1. 10), Socrates is represented as saying that the Scythians rule Europe, i. e. that part not subject to the Greeks. Herodotus and Thucydides also speak of the Scythians, the former at great length. The Persians, though the principal people of Asia, are known chiefly through their collisions with the Greeks.

In regard to the Persian invasions, though the facts are the commonplaces of history, it will be well to notice the leading dates. The first campaign under Mardonius took place B. C. 492; the invasion of Attica, by Datis and Artaphernes, 490, the battle of Marathon being fought in September of that year; Xerxes succeeded Darius, 485; armed against Greece, 484; and the second Persian war broke out, 480, Xerxes crossing the Hellespont in the summer of that year; then followed, in rapid succession, the battle of Thermopylae, the battle of Artemisium, and the overrunning of Greece by the Persian hosts; in September, the sea-fight of Salamis, and the flight of Xerxes; finally, in September, 479, the battles of Plataca and Mycale.

- Page 22, 1. 5, 6. κωθυνεύσειν, κρατήσειν, G. § 27, n. 1; § 78, 1.
- 8. [ωσπερ αν εί επολεμησαν, i. e. δοπερ αν εφθάρησαν. G. § 53, n. 3; § 42, 3, n. 2.]

Page 23, l. 1, 2. ἀμφοτέρων κρατήσαντες; i. e. both the enemy and the allies. Having conquered the enemy in battle, and having surpassed the allies in energy and bravery.

- 2. πρός, in respect of, in regard to.
- 8. εὐθὺς μέν; i. e. after the battle of Artemisium, when the honor of pre-eminent merit and valor was awarded to the Athenians. See Herod. VIII. 17, and Diodorus Sic. XI. 13.
- 8. $[\mu\eta\delta\epsilon is\ olioido.$ The present imperative and the aorist subjunctive are the regular forms after $\mu\dot{\eta}$ in prohibitions.] G. § 86.
 - 10. ὅτι κατέστησαν, G. § 70, 1.
 - 12. ὅτι διήνεγκεν, G. § 81, 1.
- 14. ταχὸ λίαν παραδραμεῖν, to run over the subject very rapidly.
 - 15. ΐνα γένηται, G. § 44, 1.
 - 17. ἐπελθόντα, agreeing with the subject of λέγειν.
 - 18. προκατειλημμένων, which have been preoccupied.
- 20. τοῖς δημοσία θαπτομίνοις, those who are publicly buried. It was a common custom at Athens to bury with public ceremonies those who had fallen in the public service. Some

citizen eminent for eloquence was selected to deliver a discourse (called ἐπιτάφιος λόγος). Thucydides (II. 34, 35) describes the burial of those who had fallen in the first summer of the Peloponnesian war, and the honors the Athenians conferred upon them (τῷ πατρίφ νόμφ χρώμενοι). On that occasion the discourse was delivered by Pericles himself. There is a funeral oration by Lysias; others were delivered by Hypercides, Demosthenes, &c. The latter makes it a strong point in his defence against the charges of Aeschines, that he was appointed to perform this duty over those who were slain at Chaeronea. The oration of Hypereides over the Greeks who fell at Lamia, — one of the most celebrated in antiquity, — long supposed to be lost, has been lately discovered among fragments of Egyptian papyri.

- 24. ὀκνητέον, G. § 114, 2.
- 26. γεγενησθαι, G. § 73, 1.

Page 24, l. 3. προασκήσαντες, who previously trained.

- 6-9. Observe the careful antitheses between the clauses of this sentence, by the repetition of the corresponding particles $\mu \acute{\epsilon} \nu$ and $\delta \acute{\epsilon}$. Observe also the force of the imperfect tense in describing habitual action.
 - 9. πρός ἀργύριον, by the standard of money.
- 12, 13. μέλλοι εὐδοκιμήσειν καταλείψειν. For the use of μέλλω with the infinitive, see Kühner, § 306. 1 (a); Soph. § 89, 2; G. § 25, 2. [μέλλοι and also τυγχάνοι are in the optative merely because they stand in indirect discourse after ἐδόκει. G. § 74, 1. They represent the present indicative of the direct discourse, in which the whole sentence would be: οὖτος πλοῦτον ἀσφαλέστατον κέκτηται, ὅστις τοιαῦτα τυγχάνει πράττων ἐξ ὧν μέλλει, &c.]
- 14, 15. τὰs θρασύτητας....τὰς τόλμας, nor did they emulate each other's harshness, nor cultivate in themselves dispositions to oppress. Bremi remarks upon this sentence: "Habet etiam codex noster Ambros. ἄλλων pro ἀλλήλων; quod non displicet. "Αλλος enim sunt, qui vocabantur socii

tum Atheniensium tum Lacedaemoniorum, qui vero ab utrisque ut subjecti contumeliose tractabantur. Dicit igitur majores non aemulatos esse in superba alios tractandi ratione; quae sententia sequentibus explicatur. In sequentibus recte οὐδὲ τὸς τὸλμας τὸς αὐτῶν ἤσκουν pro καθ ἐαυτῶν. Sic enim utraque membra respondent, et αὐτῶν est genitivus objectivus." This differs from the explanation given above; but it depends partly on a different reading from that adopted in the text.

- 16. [elvaι is the present infinitive of indirect discourse, representing the present indicative, G. § 15, 2; ἀκούειν is the ordinary present infinitive, with no designation of time, G. § 15, 1.]
- 19. τοῖς σφετέροις αὐτῶν. For the possessive followed by a genitive, see Soph. § 156, 1, b.
 - 20, 21. ἐσκόπουν ὅπως ἄρξουσιν, G. § 45; compare § 44, 2.
- 24. δεήσει, G. § 70, 2. [δεήσοι might have been used here. So with δμονοήσουσιν, l. 26, and the indirect questions, δπότεροι ἄρξουσιν and δπότεροι φθήσονται, p. 25, l. 1-3; in all of which the future optative would have been regular.]
 - 27. πολιτικώς είχον, were so public-spirited.

Page 25, l. 3. φθήσονται ποιήσαντες. For the construction of φθάνω with participles, in the sense of to be the first to do what is indicated by the participle, see Kühner, § 310, 4 (1); Soph. Gr. Gr., § 222, 3 (c); G. § 112, 2. For the peculiar use of the aorist participle, not referring to the past, see G. § 24, notes 1 and 2. See note on p. 30, l. 20.

- 5. $i\pi l \tau \hat{\eta} \dots \hat{\omega} \phi \epsilon \lambda \epsilon l \hat{q}$. This preposition, with the dative, often expresses aim or object, as here.
- 9-11. ἡγεμόνες and δεσπόται are connected in the way of comparison; καὶ σωτῆρες, though placed after δεσπόται, may be construed with ἡγεμόνες. The other and perhaps more natural construction is to connect καὶ σωτῆρες with the following clause. In this case, Bremi remarks that a zeugma takes place here, because ἀποκαλεῦσθαι is taken in a bad-

sense and can apply only to homewas in its full force. But it is used sometimes in a good as well as a bad sense, though generally the latter. Diodorus Siculus applies it to benefactors.

- 18. Wa, their own; not private, as sometimes rendered.
- 23. &στε δυνηθήναι, G. § 98, 1.

Page 26, l. 2. uneson mpáfeis, actions are under; i. e. support.

- 9. ποίων αν απέστησαν, G. § 52, 2.
- 10. ζώντες εὐδοκιμεῖν. For construction of nominative with infinitive, see Soph. Gr. Gr., § 222, 3 (c).
- 12-15. οίμαι ... θεῶν τινα συναγαγεῖν, ἴνα μὴ διαλάθοιεν. G. § 23, 2. [The aorist infinitive here denotes past time, like the aorist indicative, as it regularly does after a verb of saying or thinking. Here its force as a secondary tense is made especially obvious by the three optatives, διαλάθοιεν, τελευτήσαιεν, and ἀξιωθεῖεν, which depend upon it. See also the three aorist infinitives, p. 27, lines 14, 16, and 18.]
- 21, 22. οὐ μὴν ἀλλά, yet. For the ellipsis of a clause after the negative, see Kühner, Gr. Gr., § 322, R. 11.
 - 23, 24. σφας αὐτούς = άλλήλους.
- 24. ἐπὶ δουλεία, for the enslavement. In the following clauses, observe the careful manner in which the balance is kept up by the correlative particles.
 - 26, 27. ὁπότεροι γενήσονται. See note on p. 24, l. 24.

Page 27, l. 3. ol μέν, the Athenians. For the description of the events here alluded to, see Herod. V. 102. The Athenians hastened to meet the enemy without waiting for the arrival of the allies.

7, 8. Some ρ in all or plans ρ with ρ with ρ with ρ and ρ in they had been about to incur a risk in other's lives; i. e. they risked their own lives as readily as if it had been the lives of others that were in peril. See G. § 109, n. 3 (b). [When a participle is thus used with Some ρ , there is an ellipsis of an apodosis, to which the participle forms the protasis,—

δοπερ meaning simply as (not, as if). Thus here the full form would be, δοπερ δν ἐποίουν μέλλοντες (= εὶ ἔμελλον) κινδυνεύειν, as (they would have done) if they had been about to incur a risk, &c. Sometimes the full form δοπερ δν εἰ (or, in one word, δοπερανεί) is used, as in Plat. Gorg. 479 A, φοβούμενος δοπερ δν εἰ παῖς, — i. e. δοπερ δν ἐφοβείτο εἰ παῖς λν, — fearing like a child. G. § 42, 3, n. 2. Here, however, if a participle follows, the εἰ is strictly pleonastic, as below, p. 46, l. 11, δοπερανεὶ προπεμπόμενοι, on which see note.] — οὐκ ἔφθησαν πυθόμενοι, had no sooner heard of. Soph. Gr. Gr., § 222. 3 (c). See note on p. 25, l. 3.

- 9. kal is idiomatically used, and may be rendered when. See Matt. Gr. Gr., § 620. a. Bremi illustrates it by several parallel passages from the other orations of Isocrates.
- 11. ar. Constructed with some word to be supplied, as they would have done. G. § 42, 3, n. 2. See note on δοπερ μελλοστες, above, p. 27, l. 7.
 - 13. της αὐτης ημέρας, within the same day.
- 14-18. For the infinitives, $\pi \nu \theta i \sigma \theta a i$, $\sigma \tau \hat{\eta} \sigma a i$, decleis, see note on p. 26, l. 12-15.
- 15, 16. βοηθήσαντας...νικήσαντας. For the juxtaposition of several adjectives or participles with a copulative, see Matt. Gr. Gr., § 444. 3.— τρόπαιον....πολεμίων, to raise a trophy of victory over the enemy. For this use of the genitive, see Matt. Gr., § 367. B.
 - 18, 19. στρατοπέδο πορευομένους, marching in battle array.
- 20. φθηναι συμβαλόντες, to engage first in conflict. For construction, see note to p. 25, l. 3. πρὶν ἐλθεῖν, G. § 106.
- 21. τοὺς βοηθήσοντας. Future participle expressing purpose.
- 25, 26. iπερβολάς προθυμηθείς εἰπεῖκ. iπερβολάς here signifies strange, extraordinary things; things that go beyond the common range of human events. Translate, having desired to speak of wonders.

Page 28, l. 4. οὐκ ἐπαύσαντο, πρὶν ἐξεῦρε, G. § 67, 1, and n. 4.

5, 6. πλεῦσαι πεζεῦσαι. These expressions refer to the bridge built by Xerxes across the Hellespont, and the canal cut through Mount Athos. Evident traces of this canal still exist, confirming the truth of the Greek historians and exposing the ignorance of Juvenal, who says (Sat. X. 173):—

"Creditur olim

Velificatus Athos et quidquid Graecia mendax Audet in historia."

- 8. Πρὸς δή. The particle δή has here an emphasizing force, Now against.
- 12, 13. ως...κωλύσοντες, for the purpose of hindering them in the narrows. For προελθεῖν after κωλύσοντες, see G. § 95, 2, with n. 1. [Instead of the simple infinitive we might have had μὴ προελθεῖν, τοῦ προελθεῖν, or τοῦ μὴ προελθεῖν.] For ως, see G. § 109, n. 4.
- 19, 20. της.... μάχης, on account of the battle at Marathon. Genitive of cause or source. αὐτοὺς ἐξισῶσαι, to place themselves on an equality.
 - 21. μη γένηται, G. § 46; compare § 44, 2.
- 23. διαφυλάξαι. The preposition in this composition gives to the action the idea of persistency or permanency, to preserve throughout.
 - 25. ἐνίκησαν, G. § 70, 2.

Page 29, l. 1. την ἀρετην.... περιγγγομένην, that valor is superior to numbers. Present participle describing the usual state of things, or what commonly happens. G. § 113.

- τοῖε σώμασιν ἀπεῖπον, were overcome in their bodies, fell; alluding to those Spartans who were slain at Thermopylae.
- 6, 7. πρόπλους. ναῦς understood. Xerxes had sent two hundred or (Diod. Sic.) three hundred ships forward to attack the Grecian fleet.
 - 7. της παρόδου, the passage; i. e. of Thermopylae.

- 11. κινδύνων. Partitive genitive. This construction of the genitive is a favorite one with Isocrates.
 - 19. εἰσβάλλειν, G. § 25, 2, n. 1.
- 23. ¿δίδου, offered. The present and imperfect of this verb often have this signification. G. § 11, n. 2.
- 24, 25. ήγούμενος, εἰ προσλάβοι, κρατήσειν, G. § 74, 1; § 73, 1. [The direct discourse was, ἐὰν προσλάβω, κρατήσω, hence ἐὰν προσλάβη might have been used here.]
 - 26. οὐδ' qualifies δρμησαν (p. 30, l. 1).
- 27. Ελλησιν, the Greeks; i. e. those Greeks who had joined the invading army.— ότι προὐδόθησαν, because they (i. e. the Athenians) had been betrayed. G. § 81, 1.

Page 30, 1. 5. **mpoorineer, that it was natural, that it belonged to. G. § 15, 2. So **lva:, 1. 7.

- 9. ἀποθανεῖν ἡ ζῆν. Observe the different shades of meaning in the acrist and the present tense,—the acrist infinitive describing a single experience, and the present a continuous state.
- 11. ὀφθῆναι γενομέναις. For this participial construction with an infinitive, see Kühner, § 310. 4.
- 15. τὴν ἐχομένην νῆσον, the neighboring island; i. e. Salamis, to which most of the Athenians retired, with their families, on the approach of the Persian army.
- 16. ἐν μέρει, in turn. ἐξέπλευσαν ἴνα κωθυνεύσωσιν, G. § 44, 2. [The subjunctive is used instead of the optative in final clauses, after secondary tenses, on a principle analogous to that by which, in indirect discourse, the indicative can be used for the optative. Thus, we can say εἶπεν ὡς τοῦτο ἀληθές εἶη, οτ εἶπεν ὡς τοῦτο ἀληθές ἐστι, both meaning, he said that this was true, because the direct discourse was τοῦτο ἀληθές ἐστι, and the ἐστί can either be retained in the quotation after a past tense, or changed to the same tense of the optative. On the same principle, in final clauses, we may say either ἢλθεν ἴνα τοῦτο ἴδοι, οτ ἢλθεν ἴνα τοῦτο ἴδη, both meaning, he came that he might see this, because,

as the purpose was originally conceived, the person said $\tilde{\epsilon}_{\rho\chi o\mu ai}$ iva $\tilde{l}\delta\omega$, I go that I may see; and a speaker or writer who narrates the act as a past event can either retain the same mood and tense (saying iva $\tilde{l}\delta\eta$), or use the corresponding tense of the optative (saying iva $\tilde{l}\delta\sigma$).

- 20. For γενομένην after ἐπιδεῖν, see G. § 112, 1; and for the tense of the participle, § 24, notes 1 and 2. Compare note on p. 25, l. 3. [The acrist participle here differs from the following presents precisely as the acrist infinitive would have differed from the present in a similar construction. That is, the city being made desolate (as a single act) is opposed to the (continuous) ravaging of the country by the enemy after their entrance, πορθουμένην, the plundering and burning of the temples, συλώμενα and ἐμπιπραμένουs, and the gradual coming on (γιγνόμενον) of a state of war in their country. This peculiar use of the acrist participle, in which it seems to lose its force as a past tense,—like the acrist infinitive out of indirect discourse,— is most common with such verbs as λανθάνω, φθάνω, τυγχάνω, &c. See the reference given above.]
- 25, 26. καταισχυνθέντες implies admiration of the excellence of another, and shame for being outdone by him.
- Page 31, l. 1. αὐτοὶ σωθήσεσθαι. For the construction of the nominative with the infinitive, see Soph. Gr., § 222. 3 (c). For the tense of the infin., see G. § 73, 1.
- 2. ἢναγκάσθησαν, were compelled; i. e. through the sense of shame described by καταισχυνθέντες. The historians give a somewhat different account of the affair. See Herodotus, VIII. 42.
- 6. λέγοντα, in speaking. The participle agrees with the accusative subject of διατρίβειν.
- 8. ταῦτα δ'. Werfer, cited by Bremi, observes of the particle δέ, used as it is here, that, if a period precedes, to which, in what follows, another is opposed in such a way that the protasis and apodosis of the latter may refer by

antithesis to the protasis and apodosis of the former, $\mu \acute{\epsilon} \nu$ is used in the former, and $\delta \acute{\epsilon}$ both in the protasis and apodosis of the latter. Mé ν , however, sometimes appears but once, while $\delta \acute{\epsilon}$ is repeated, as in this passage. See G. Rem. after § 64, n. 2.

- 10-12. μέν.... οὐδεὶς δέ. Upon the relation of the particles μέν and δέ in this place, Spohn remarks: "Orator, verborum concimitati et numerorum suavitati indulgens, paullulum recessit a recta via, sive verius obscuriorem reddidit nexum. Sensus hic est: Urbs plures quidem instruxit naves ad pugnam quam reliqui socii; inde autem patet eam salutis nostrae esse causam. Posterius vero membrum ornatu in oratorio variatum est."
 - 14, 15. κρατήσαι, γενέσθαι, G. § 23, 2.
- 19. τοῖς κοινοῖς τῶν ἀγώνων (partitive gen.), the common conflicts; conflicts in which the common welfare of Greece was at stake.
- 24, 25. τῶν κακῶν . . . μέρος μετασχόντες. Words signifying to participate usually take the genitive; sometimes, however, the accusative signifying the part is expressed, as in the present instance.
- 24-27. οὐκ ἀν πάθοιμεν, εἰ... ἀναγκασθεῖμεν, G. § 50, 2. Page 32, l. 3, 4. [γεγενῆσθαι, καὶ... ἀν εἶναι. The direct discourse would be γεγένηται, καὶ... ἀν εἴη. G. § 73, 1; § 41, 1.]
- 5-8. ἐπειδὴ....προφέρουσιν. It may be well to explain at some length the historical bearings of the incidents here alluded to. The conduct of the Athenians during the Persian wars had justly given them a pre-eminence in the general affairs of Greece. Sparta, however, was jealous of their power, and constantly endeavored to check its growth. The supremacy by sea Athens was able to vindicate and maintain, through the naval power she had acquired by following the policy recommended by Themistocles. While the memory of the Persian wars still remained fresh,

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the inferior states of Greece were glad to range themselves under the powerful protection of Athens, by entering into a confederacy with her. They formed, therefore, a league, at the head of which Athens was placed, and contributions for the common defence were apportioned among the allies. Aristeides, whose character for justice inspired the highest confidence, was appointed to investigate the resources of the states, and to assign to each its proportion to be paid into the common fund. The assessment, as determined by him, gave universal satisfaction. The temple of Apollo, in the island of Delos, was fixed upon as the treasury, and the money was placed under the special care of a board of managers, Athenian citizens, and chosen by Athenians, denominated Hellenotamiae. This took place B. C. 477. There also assemblies were held, consisting of deputies from the confederated states, under the presidency of Athens. The annual amount of the tributes (Φόροι) was at first four hundred and sixty talents. The details of the distribution of this heavy burden it is not necessary to dwell upon. The allies, though paying this tribute, considered themselves independent (αὐτόνομοι). But by degrees the Athenians encroached upon the rights of the allies, and finally reduced most of them to the rank of subject states. This led to oppression on one side and revolt on the other. The payment of tribute was no longer regarded by the Athenians as a free contribution, but as a debt, the discharge of which they had a right to enforce by arms. The allies were at the same time deprived of a vote in the assembly. See Thucyd. I. 94-99; and Grote, Vol. V., chapters 44 and 45.

A violent invasion of the rights of the allies was made B. C. 461. The treasure was removed from Delos to Athens. The excuse for this removal of the deposits was the same as that for a more recent act,—"the greater security of the treasury" from the Barbarians. In the time of Pericles, the annual tributes are said to have

amounted to six hundred talents; and that wily and able statesman obtained undisputed control over them.

The money was now employed to promote the peculiar interests of Athens. The city was embellished with costly edifices, and innumerable works of surpassing excellence in every department of the fine arts. The expensive festivals, the choric and dramatic entertainments, and the frequent donations to the people, were in part paid for out of the resources drawn from the subject states. The amount of tribute was from time to time increased, until it rose to three or four times the original sum.

At the beginning of the Peloponnesian war, out of the whole confederacy, only three states, Chios, Mitylene, and Lesbos, retained their independence; but the disastrous close of that long and bloody conflict put an end for the present to the contributions of the allies. Aristophanes, in the comedy of The Wasps, speaks of a thousand subject cities, which indicates, at least, that at that time the confederacy was very extensive.

In the course of the Peloponnesian war, the transactions spoken of in the text as having afforded matter of reproach against the Athenians took place. Melos was a Dorian colony of the Lacedaemonian race. (See Herod. VIII. 48, and Bähr's note to Herod. VIII. 46.) It continued faithful to Sparta until B. C. 416, when a formidable expedition was fitted out from Athens to reduce the island. A squadron of thirty-eight galleys, with about three thousand troops on board, set sail. The Melians refused to vield to the summons, and declared their resolution to maintain the independence they had enjoyed for seven hundred years. The siege was prosecuted with great vigor, and before the end of the year the Melians were reduced, by the sufferings incident to war, to the necessity of surrendering at discretion. The Athenians, with dreadful cruelty, as Thucydides relates (V. 116), "put to death the adult Melians, and enslaved the

children and women; the land they occupied themselves, having sent out afterwards five hundred colonists."

A few years earlier than this, B. C. 421, the catastrophe of Scione was brought about. Scione, situated on the peninsula of Pallene, renounced the Athenian alliance, and received the Spartan general, Brasidas, who was prosecuting military operations in the North. The Athenians were indignant at this proceeding, which they considered as a violation of the truce of a year just concluded between them and the Lacedaemonians. In B. C. 419, Scione was compelled to surrender at discretion. A decree had already been passed at Athens (Thucyd. IV. 122), on the motion of Cleon, dooming the Scionaeans to death. This decree was executed to the letter. The men were slain, and the women and children reduced to slavery.

Isocrates dwells but little on the Peloponnesian war, because there is but little in that long, bloody, and ruinous strife which redounds to the glory of Athens. Two transactions so atrocious as those at Melos and Scione, and so injurious to the fame of Athens, could not well be passed over unnoticed; for they were a matter of common reproach to the city. Isocrates makes but a poor defence. The amount of it is, that others have shown equal or greater cruelty.

- 14-16. cł ἐπιτιμφεν, G. § 54, 1 (a).
- 18. [ἡν μή τις κολάζη is used in a general supposition, the leading verb ἐστί expressing a general truth. G. § 51.]
- 24, 25. Έπὶ... ἡγεμονίας, In the time of our supremacy (Hegemony, leading, or right of precedence conceded to some one of the Grecian states by the rest). οῖκους, houses; i. e. family estates.
- 26, 27. ἐπιδόντας and γενομένας, participles in oratio obliqua. G. § 73, 2; § 113.
- Page 33, l. 1. αὐτῶν. Part. gen. depending on ταῖε αὐξανομέναιε. — ἐνεποιοῦμεν. Imperfect, expressing continued or customary action.

- 2. moderates inarries, forms of governments (or constitutions) opposed to each other.
- 6. συμμαχικῶς, ἀλλ' οὐ δεσποτικῶς, as allies, not as masters. This statement is not wholly borne out by history. At the beginning, the allies were treated with due regard to their independence; but afterwards, as we have already seen, the Athenians assumed towards them the authority of masters.
- 7, 8. δλων.... ιδία. The former expression refers to the relations of the several cities with other states; the latter to the constitution and internal arrangements of the allies. ἐκάστους. "Singuli intelligantur; non cives, sed singulae civitates et respublicae; ut Rhodii, Chii, Byzantii." Wolf.
 - 12. τῶν ἀρχῶν, the offices of state.
- 14. μετοικείν, to be in the condition of the μέτοικοι. These, at Athens, were resident aliens, allowed certain privileges on the payment of an annual sum of money, but not permitted to take any part in the affairs of state. In the census by Demetrius Phalereus, the number of this class of the population was ten thousand, consisting chiefly of persons engaged in mercantile business. They were not allowed to acquire landed property. Each peroses was required to place himself under the protection of some citizen, who was his patron, προστάτης, legal representative, and surety. The greater part of the business transacted at Athens was in the hands of these aliens. It is to the condition of this class that Isocrates compares the state of the great body of citizens in the oligarchical governments of Greece. full account, see Smith's Dictionary of Greek and Roman Antiquities, art. µéroisoi. See, also, Boeckh's Public Economy of Athens, Book I. ch. 7 and 24, III. ch. 7, and IV. ch. 10, Lamb's translation. Also Wolf's Prolegomena ad Lept.
- 14, 15. της πολιτείας ἀποστερείσθαι, to be deprived of political rights.
- 20. ἔχοντα agrees with the subject of ἐπαινεῖν, in the preceding line, and denotes the cause. G. § 109, 4.

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- 21. έβδομήκοντ' έτη, seventy years. The period during which the condition of things here described existed at Athens is differently stated by different writers. Lysias (Epitaph., p. 113, R.) agrees with the number here given. Isocrates, in the Panathenaicus, puts it sixty-five (p. 214. 29); Demosthenes, forty-five (Olynth., III. p. 35, R. § 24); again, seventy-three (Phil. III. p. 116, § 23); Lycurgus, adv. Leocr. (c. 17), ninety; Andocides, de Pace (p. 107), eighty-five; Dionysius Halicarn., Ant. Rom. (I. 3), sixtyeight. The fact seems to be, that no such period, strictly considered, occurred in the annals of Athens. But there was a period of comparative tranquillity, in the early age of the Athenian republic, which may be variably estimated, as the reader chooses to fix the beginning and the end at different dates in the chronology, leaving out of consideration, or noticing, according to the view he may take of them, the temporary and partial disturbances that occasionally broke in upon the general repose. [The two numbers given by Demosthenes (45 and 73) may be reconciled by supposing that he included under the former the time between the establishment of the confederacy of Delos, in 477 B. C., and the beginning of the Peloponnesian war, in 432-31 B.C., and under the latter the whole time until the end of the war in 404 B.C. As the war was carried on to break up the Athenian empire, it was proper to include the 27 years of its duration in the period of supremacy. Isocrates seems to refer in round numbers to the same period which Demosthenes gives more exactly as 73 years. But when he adds the phrase εἰρήνην ἄγοντες πρὸς πάντας ἀνθρώπους, he falls into a style of exaggeration, in which the Attic orators frequently indulge when speaking of the more glorious history of the preceding century.]
- 26. τὰς κληρουχίας. Κλῆρος, a lot, has also a local, Athenian sense, and means the portion of land taken from the public enemy, or from a revolted tributary, and granted to



an Athenian citizen for the purpose of colonization. The citizens receiving these lands were called $\kappa\lambda\eta\rho\circ\hat{\nu}\chi\sigma\iota$; and the possession and occupation $\kappa\lambda\eta\rho\circ\nu\chi\iota$ a. This feature in the public policy of Athens gave rise to many acts of injustice and oppression, which brought reproach upon her name. See Boeckh's Pub. Econ. of Athens, pp. 110, 162, 300, 308, 524, 526, 540, 546, American translation, by Lamb.

Page 34, 1. 3, 4. $\dot{\omega}s$ $\pi\rho\delta s$ $\tau\delta$ $\pi\lambda\hat{\eta}\theta\sigma s$, considered in reference to the number, or in proportion to the number.

- 7, 8. ὑπὸ τὴν ᾿Αττικήν. "Ὑπό cum accusativo regionis loci propinquitatem significat, illiusque, ni fallor, regionis in aliam vel propter loci naturam potestatem. Posterior significatio ipso vocis sono aliquantulum in praepositione morantis substantivumque ab ea quasi separantis augetur." Bremi.
- 9. εὐφυῶς εἶχε, had great natural advantages. See Thucyd. VIII. 96.
- 10, 11. κρατοῦντες αὐτῶν. Wolf explains, "κρατοῦντες ἀν αὐτῆς, ἤγουν, εἶπερ ἦβουλόμεθα"; i. e. we might control it, if we chose. But Morus, "obtinentes, i. e. obtinere volentes, id agentes ut imperio teneremus." Bremi, "Quia scilicet nec incolae nec alius quisquam, qui eorum tutelam voluisset recipere, Atheniensium opibus potuisset resistere." The idea seems to be, that, on account of the position and physical peculiarities of Euboea, the Athenians, with the aid, it is to be supposed, of their navy, had it more completely within their power than they had the Attic territory itself; and yet, as the orator goes on to remark, they were not tempted to any act of injustice against its possessors.
- 14-18. ὅμως ἐχόντων. The construction of the preceding clause and this part of the sentence is an example of anacoluthon, passing, as it does, from the nominative of the participle to the accusative of the pronoun to which the participle refers; the accusative being governed by ἐπῆρε. "Primum nempe persona, Athenienses, ut subjectum oratoris animo obversabatur; hinc ejus attributa per participia

expressa in nominativo ponuntur; progrediente enuntiatione, periculosa et corruptrix rerum conditio animum loquentis occupat, et hoc fit subjectum οὐδὲν τούτων, et hoc verbum attrahit ἐπῆρε. Hinc persona, quae ab initio ut subjectum obversabatur, fit objectum ἡμᾶς, et attributa in nominativo praecedentia pendent per anacoluthon, si vis, rhetoricum potius quam grammaticum." Bremi. The statement in the text with regard to the conduct of the Athenians towards Euboea is contradicted by the facts of history. See Thucydides, I. 114; Diod. Sic. XII. 22; Xen. Hell. II. 2. 2. — ζῶντας, G. § 112, 1. — δουλεύειν αἰτίαν ἐχόντων, literally, having cause to be slaves, i. e. worthy of being reduced to slavery; i. e. for having revolted from the Athenians.

- 18, 19. βουλόμενοι, if we had wished, equivalent to εἰ ἐβούλομεθα. G. § 52, 1; § 16, 2.
- 20, 21. ἡν....παραδόντες. Concerning the assignment of the land of Scione to the Plataeans, see Thucydides, III. 20. For the participle, see G. § 113; § 73, 2.
 - 25. ὑπὲρ τοῦ μὴ ἐπιθυμεῖν, G. § 94.
- 26. δεκαδαρχιῶν. The decadarchies, or governments of ten men, were the forms established by the Lacedaemonians in subject states. The government was intrusted to a council of ten, at the head of whom was placed an άρμοστής, or Spartan governor, subject to the supreme authority at home. See below, p. 111.
- 26 Page 35, l. 7. τολμῶσι ἐξαμαρτεῖν. Observe, in the successive clauses of this sentence, the care with which the orator discriminates the shades of meaning, while describing various actions, by using the present and aorist tenses of the participles and infinitives. κοινωνήσαντες, those who shared in, the act considered as single and completed; διαλυμηνάμενοι, ποιήσαντες, λιπόντες, από τολμήσαντες expressing acts in a similar point of view, while φάσκοντες, ἐπιτηδεύοντες, and δδυρόμενοι describe repeated or continued acts [in time present with reference to the leading verb]. G. § 16, 1; § 24.

- 5. Μηλίων. For the affair of the Melians, see above, p. 102.
- 10. ἐνόμιζον. The imperfect tense here and in the following clauses describes repeated or continued action, or habitual states of mind, in the past.
- 11. EDAGTOP. The Helots were a people who had been reduced to abject servitude by the Spartans. On their origin and condition, see the clear statements of Thirlwall, Vol. I. p. 309 seqq., and Müller's Dorians, III. 3. 1, cited by the historian. For further particulars, consult Thucyd. I. 101 seqq., IV. 80, Strabo, VIII. c. 73, and Isocrates, Panathenaicus, c. 73. The term Helot is used for slave; and here, those who were subservient to the Spartan policy and supported the Spartan agents are, by a doubly contemptuous expression, termed slaves of the Helots.
- 13. αὐτόχειραs, those who slay or commit violence with their own hand.
- 17. τοὺς συμπαθήσοντας, those who would sympathize, those who were ready to sympathize.
- 21. Τίνος ἐφίκοντα. For the construction of the genitive, see Soph. Gr. Gr., § 199.
- 26, 27. διαθέντες κατηγοροῦντες. G. § 112, n. 6. The agrist participle describes the completed action, the present describes the action as continuing at the moment of speaking.
- Page 36, l. 1. The more yeroperwe, which have ever taken place among us; alluding to the litigious character which the Athenians notoriously had;—to the numerous suits and prosecutions, having their origin in the selfishness and malignity of the sycophants, which made the property of the citizens, and life itself, insecure.
- 2, 3. airol πλείους ἀποκτείναντες. The allusion here is to the atrocities committed by the Thirty Tyrants, whose government was established in Athens at the close of the Peloponnesian war, B. C. 404. This detestable oligarchy

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could not long be endured, notwithstanding the depressed state of the Athenians. At the end of eight or nine months, it was easily overthrown by Thrasybulus and the returning exiles, and the ancient constitution, with some modifications, was once more restored. For the details of this interesting period, which may be compared with the Reign of Terror in the French Revolution, see Thirlwall, Vol. IV. p. 174 seqq. Grote, VIII. Chap. 65. See also the graphic sketch of these events in the second book of Xenophon's Hellenica. They are stated with more or less fulness by Isocrates in the Panathenaicus, Demosthenes, and others.

- 8, 9. ράδιως.... διάλυσε, one might easily have put an end to by a single decree. For διάλυσε αν and δύναιτο αν, see G. § 52, 2. With regard to the different language applied by the orator to the acts of the Athenians and those of the Lacedaemonian party, Bremi well remarks: "Prudenter autem de Atheniensium injuriis verbo leniore διαλύειν, solvere, finire, utitur; graviore lασθαι de Lacedaemoniorum saevitia."
- 12. την παρούσαν είρηνην, the present peace. The peace here referred to was that known in history as the peace of Antalcidas, negotiated by Antalcidas, on the side of the Spartans, and Tiribazus, the representative of the Persian king, B. C. 387. Sparta, at the close of the Peloponnesian war, stood in a position of commanding power and influ-She soon, however, not only became involved in hostilities with some of the Grecian states, but the expedition of Thibron, B. C. 399, commenced a series of aggressive operations against Persia, ostensibly in defence of the Asiatic Greeks. The principal campaigns were conducted by Agesilaus and Lysander successively. The period between B. C. 399 and the conclusion of the peace, B. C. 387, is crowded with important events, among which stand prominent the battle of Sardis, the death of Lysander, and the disgrace of Pausanias, B. C. 395; the battles of Corinth, of Cnidus, and of Coroneia, B. C. 394; and the restoration of

the Long Walls at Athens, B. C. 390. The successes of Conon, which alarmed Sparta by threatening the restoration of the supremacy by sea to Athens, caused the Spartan government to change its policy towards Persia, and to relinquish its designs of conquering the kingdom. In the vear B. C. 390, Antalcidas, an able politician, was despatched for the purpose of negotiating a peace. The proposals he made, though perfectly satisfactory to Tiribazus, the Persian satrap, were opposed by the envoys from Athens, Boeotia, Corinth, Argos, and other Grecian states, and the negotiation for the present fell through. Tiribazus was soon after superseded by Struthas, who favored the Athenians: and the Spartans despatched Thimbron to renew hostilities. He was defeated and slain by the Persian commander; but the Spartan fortunes were retrieved by Diphri-Thrasybulus, the hero of Phyle, was das, his successor. sent on an expedition from Athens to support the democratic party in Rhodes, in the year B. C. 389, which was signalized by his death in a riot at Aspendos. Hostilities between the contending parties were continued, to the annoyance and misfortune of both sides. Athens and Sparta were equally desirous of peace. The subordinate states were tired of the war; and Tiribazus, having called together deputies from the belligerents, and "having shown the royal seal, read his master's decree, which ran in the following imperial style: 'King Artaxerxes thinks it right that the Greek cities in Asia, and the islands of Clazomenae and Cyprus, should belong to himself; but that all the other Greek cities, both small and great, should be left independent. with the exception of Lemnos, Imbrus, and Scyrus, and that these should, as of old, belong to the Athenians. If any state refuse to accept this peace, I will make war against it, with those who consent to these terms, by land and by sea, with ships and with money." Thirlwall, Vol. IV. pp. 443, 444. Grote, IX. Chap. 75; X. Chap. 76.

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This was the celebrated treaty of Antalcidas, so much reprobated by the Attic orators, and especially by Isocrates; a peace which, as Thirlwall remarks, while it "professed to establish the independence of the Greek states, subjected them more than ever to the will of one. It was not in this respect only that appearances were contrary to the real state of things. The position of Sparta, though seemingly strong, was artificial and precarious; while the majestic attitude in which the Persian king dictated terms to Greece disguised a profound consciousness that his throne subsisted only by sufferance, and that its best security was the disunion of the people with whom he assumed so lordly an air." Vol. IV. pp. 445, 446.

- 14. iv avayeypaµµimp. Literally, written up, in the articles of compact. The expression refers originally to the custom of inscribing laws, the articles of treaties, and other public documents, on tablets or columns, and thus exposing them to the view of the people. The language is often applied where the fact which suggested it no longer exists.
- 16, 17. καταποντισταί, pirates. Applied to the Persians and Lacedaemonians, "odii augendi causa," on account of the cruelties exercised by them. The word refers to the sinking of the ships after they have been plundered.
- 17. πελτασταί, here mercenaries. The term refers to the equipment, "armorum genus inter ψιλούs, leves, et όπλίτας, graves." Bremi.
- 18. καταλαμβάνουσιν. "Retulerim ad Lacedaemonios, qui facta pace Antalcidae unam post aliam urbem hostiliter aggressi sunt, armisque ceperunt." Morus.
 - 21. πρὶν ποιήσασθαι, G. § 106.
- 27. ἀρμοσταί. Smith (Dictionary of Gr. and Rom. Ant.) says: "Harmostae was the name of the governors whom the Lacedaemonians, after the Peloponnesian war, sent into their subject or conquered towns, partly to keep them in

submission, and partly to abolish the democratical form of government, and establish in its stead one similar to their own. Although in many cases they were ostensibly sent for the purpose of abolishing the tyrannical government of a town, and to restore the people to freedom, yet they themselves acted like kings or tyrants, whence Dionysius thinks that Harmostae was merely another name for kings. How little sincere the Lacedaemonians were in their professions to restore their subject towns to freedom was manifest after the peace of Antalcidas; for although they had pledged themselves to re-establish free governments in the various towns, yet they left them in the hands of the Harmostae.... It is uncertain how long the office of an Harmostes lasted; but considering that a governor of the same kind, who was appointed by the Lacedaemonians in Cythera, with the title of Cytherodices, held his office only for one year, it is not improbable that the office of Harmostes was of the same duration." See also the authorities cited in the article.

Page 37, l. 5. παύσασθαι ποιουμένους. Participial construction, like our English idiom, to cease making. G. § 112, 1. Observe the different shades of meaning in the acrist and the present. The former expresses the single act of ceasing; the latter refers to the repeated instances of invasion and attack.

- 6. ἀνέχεσθαι πορθουμένην, G. § 112, N. 2.
- 8, 9. δοτε καθέλκειν. This refers to a treaty made with Artaxerxes Longimanus after the victory gained near Salamis, in Cyprus, by the fleet of Cimon over the Phoenician and Cilician galleys of Artaxerxes Longimanus, B. C. 449. Cimon had died shortly before, but the Grecian armament, with the remains of their commander on board, encountered and defeated the enemy's ships. The terms of the treaty, consented to by the Persian king, are stated to have been, that he would abandon the military occupation

of Asia Minor for the distance of three days' journey on foot, or one on horseback, from the coast, or, according to another account, the whole peninsula west of the Halys, and abstain from passing the mouth of the Bosphorus and the Chelidonian islands, on the coast of Lycia, or the town of Phaselis, into the Western Sea. See Thirlwall, Vol. III. p. 37 seqq., where he also points out ably the doubtful character of the transaction as described by the Attic rhetoricians; and Grote, V. chap. 45 (pp. 451-458, with notes). Bremi cites from Aristides, Panath., p. 57, the stipulation on the part of the Persian king, "μακρφ πλοίφ μὴ πλεῖν ἐντὸς Κνανέων καὶ Φασήλιδος."

- 12, 13. ὅτι είχεν, § 70, 2, n. 1 (a).
- 16, 17. The ... atvaiar, the disaster that took place in the Hellespont; i. e. the victory gained by Lysander over the Athenian fleet, B. C. 405, near the mouth of the Aegos Potamoi, a small stream in the Chersonesus, running into the Hellespont. Conon, the Athenian commander, took refuge with Evagoras, the prince of Cyprus. This was the last conflict of much importance in the Peloponnesian war.
- 16-22. Μετὰ...περιέπλευσαν. This passage contains a rapid enumeration of the disasters which befell Greece, in consequence of the downfall of Athens and the rise of Sparta, at the close of the Peloponnesian war.— ἐτέρων, others, i. e. the Spartans.— νανμαχοῦντες. Referring particularly to the victory of Artaxerxes Mnemon at Cnidus.— Κύθηρα. The island of Cythera (modern Cerigo, but now restored to its ancient name), opposite Cape Malea, famous for the worship of Uranian Aphrodite.
- 24. εὶ παραναγνοίη, if he should read side by side, comparing them with one another. G. § 50, 2.
- 25. τὰς νῦν, the present; i. e. the articles of the peace of Antalcidas.
 - 27. δρίζοντες, G. § 113.

- Page 38, 1. 3, 4. καὶ καθιστάς, and all but establishing governors in the cities. An ἐπίσταθμος is the same as a satrap.
- 6, 7. ἐπρυτάνευσε ἐπιστάτης. These words are borrowed from the office of the Prytanes, in the Athenian constitution. The fifty members of the Senate, who took the chief part in the meetings for the period called a Prytany, bore this title, while the president for the day, taken from their number, was the Epistates. πρυτανεύειν here signifies to take the initiative in dictating the preliminaries of the peace; while ἐπιστάτης καθέστηκεν expresses more entirely the absolute control he exercised over all the terms of the treaty.
- 8, 9. Oix.... rathyophorres; Do we not sail to him as to a master for the purpose of accusing one another? G. § 109, 5. This and the following questions allude to the fact, that the aid of the Persian king was often invoked by the contending parties among the Greeks, in their wars with each other. For the sake of gaining an advantage, they were willing to humiliate themselves before the Great King, and to receive gold from him who was the most implacable enemy of the Grecian race.
- 10. [δσπερ γεγονότες, as if we were become, literally, as (we should do) if we were. The participle expresses a protasis. G. § 109, 6. See note on p. 27, 1. 7, 8.]
- 16-19. For ... inolycap, that at the beginning they engaged in the war under pretext of liberating the Greeks, but at the conclusion they caused so many of them to be surrendered. For the future participle with is, see G. § 109, n. 4. This refers, of course, to the war before spoken of (see ante, pp. 109, 110) between Sparta and Persia, the pretended object of the Spartans being to secure the independence of the Asiatic Greeks, and to the peace of Antalcidas, by which the Spartans replaced so many of them under the power of the king.

- 19, 20. καὶ τῆς.... ἀπέστησαν, and caused the Ionians to revolt from our city. The Ionian cities of Asia Minor were established by Athenian colonists, who were afterwards allies and members of the confederacy; the Athenians being originally of the Ionian stock. The same charge is brought against the Spartans in the Panathenaicus, c. 39.
- 22. &ν.... ἔχουσι, against whose will they hold the land; i. e. land that they have wrested from the barbarians in Asia.
- 25. ἐπάρχειν. "Hoc loco de eo qui, praeter suam civitatem in alias dominationem, vel, si mavis euphemistice loqui, patroni quoddam jus habet. Romanis Proconsules ἔπαρχοι nominabantur." Bremi.
- 27. δασμολογεῖσθαι, to be subjected to tribute, to have tribute exacted; referring, says Bremi, to the tributes which were to be paid to the Persians.

Page 39, l. 1. κατεχομένας, G. § 112, 1.

- 2. rai, also.
- 3. ἀργυρωνήτων, silver-bought, i. e. purchased slaves. The same word is used in the same sense in the Plataicus.
 - 5. δταν ἀναγκάζωνται, G. § 62.
- 6. συστρατεύεσθαι, to serve with; referring to the fact, that the Asiatic Greeks were compelled to serve in the Persian armies against nations of their own race; a contest in which victory only enhanced their own servitude.
- πολεμεῖν ἀξιοῦσι, to wage war with those who desired to liberate them.
- 8, 9. [ήττηθέντες and κατορθώσαντες represent the agrist subjunctive in protasis. G. § 109, 6; § 52, 1.]
- 12-14. περιορῶσι πάσχοντας. G. § 112, 1. τ \hat{y} ρώμη, with the strength of the Greeks; i. e. the Ionians of Asia.
- 16. ἐξέβαλλον. Imperfect, describing habitual action, used to cast out. The expression refers to such instances

as the aid which the Lacedaemonians rendered the Athenians in expelling the tyrant Hippias.

- 18. πολιτείαις, republics; as opposed to μοναρχίας, in the next line. [Aristotle, Polit. IV. 8, § 3, thus defines the term πολιτεία:— ἔστι γὰρ ἡ πολιτεία ὡς ἀπλῶς εἰπεῖν μίξις όλιγαρχίας καὶ δημοκρατίας, εἰωθασι δὲ καλεῖν τὰς μὲν ἀποκλινούσας ὡς πρὸς τὴν δημοκρατίαν πολιτείας, τὰς δὲ πρὸς τὴν όλιγαρχίαν μᾶλλον ἀριστοκρατίας.]
 - 19. συγκαθιστάσι, assist in establishing. G. § 65, 3.
- 19-25. Την εξουσιν. The transactions alluded to in this sentence took place as follows. Mantineia was dismantled by Agesipolis, and the inhabitants distributed among five villages, B. C. 385, about eighteen months after the conclusion of the peace (Polyb. IV. 27, Diod. Sic. XV. 5, Isocr. de Pace, § 100). The Cadmeia of Thebes was taken by Phoebidas, B. C. 382, in violation of the peace (see Thirlwall, Vol. V. p. 15). Polybius says that the Spartans punished the offender, but did not withdraw the garrison, as if the wrong were atoned for by the penalty inflicted on the wrong-doer. In the same year, the Spartans aided Amyntas, the Macedonian, in the war against the Olynthians. The siege of Phlius took place B. C. 380, and in the following year, B. C. 379, both Phlius and Olynthus were reduced (Diod. Sic. XV. 19 seqq., Xen. Hellenica, V. 3). Dionysius had become master of Syracuse B. C. 406. Between him and the Spartans friendly relations existed for many years. The intrigues of Aristus, who was sent on a mission to Dionysius, are narrated by Diodorus Siculus, XIV. 10.

The words concerning the co-operation with the barbarian master of Asia in extending his power, refer to the oftenmentioned peace of Antalcidas.

- 25. ὅπως ἔξουσιν, G. § 45.
- 27. καθιστάναι, to endeavor to establish. The present tense often has this signification. G. § 10, 1, n. 2.

- Page 40, l. 3, 4. ἀλλ' περιβάλλειν. The alternative clauses are ἀλλ' ἀναγκάζειν περιβάλλειν.
 - 5. όταν τις ίδη, G. § 62.
- 7, 8. στρατευομένους.... πεποιημένους. Observe the different tenses, the frequentative sense of the present participle, describing the repeated acts of military aggression committed by the Spartans upon the other Greeks, and the single and completed act of concluding the treaty, described by the perfect.
 - 9. μηδείς ὑπολάβη, G. § 86.
- 9, 10. τραχύτερον. Of this word Bremi remarks: "Interdum dicitur de aspero et moroso sermone inferioris adversus superiorem, hic hominis privati adversus totam civitatem." For the force of the comparative degree without a second member of the comparison, see Kühner, § 323, Rem. 7.
- 11. [ως ποιήσομαι. The future optative might have been used after the past tense. G. § 70, 2.]
 - 14, 15. παύσω έχοντας, G. § 112, 1.
 - 17. ην μή τις ἐπιτιμήση, G. § 51.
- 18, 19. ἐπὶ....ἐπ'. Constructed with the dative, expressing end or purpose.
- 21. [μή λεγόμενον is equivalent to έὰν μή λέγηται. G. § 52, 1; § 51.]
 - 23. είλωτεύειν, to be in the condition of Helots.
 - 25. ἐξόν, G. § 110, 2.
- 26. περιοίκους. The literal meaning of this word is, those who dwell around. "But it is generally used to describe a dependent population, living without the walls, or in the country provinces, of a dominant city, and, although personally free, deprived of the enjoyment of citizenship, and the political rights conferred by it." Smith's Dict. of Gr. and Rom. Antiq. In a more restricted sense, the Περίσωκοι were the original Achaean population, who were reduced to vassalage after the Dorians had conquered the

Peloponnesus. See Thirlwall, Vol. I. p. 307 seqq.; also Wachsmuth's Historical Antiquities of the Greeks, Vol. I. p. 252 seqq.; Müller's Dorians, Book III.; Clinton's Fasti Hellenici; Manso's Sparta, I. 1. 62 seqq. The word is here used metaphorically for vassals or subjects.

Page 41, l. 3. νησιώτας, the islanders; i. e. the inhabitants of the Greek islands.

- 5. ἢπειρώτας, the inhabitants of the continent; i. e. the Asiatic continent, especially the Persians.
- 6. τὴν μὲν πλείστην αὐτῆς, the greatest part of it. For the common idiomatic construction, by which an adjective governing the genitive is put in the gender of the noun which it governs, see Kühner, Gr. Gr., § 264. 2. c; also Aeschylus, Agamemnon, 1221, and the present editor's note upon the passage.
- 11. καταγνώναι ήμων. For this construction of the acc. and gen., see Soph. Gr. Gr., § 194, n. 3. [καταγνώναι ἄν represents καταγνώναι ἄν of the direct discourse. G. § 41, 3; § 73, 1; § 76.]
- 15, 16. [ἐξ ὧν μηδέποτε παυσόμεθα. G. § 65, 1. See note on p. 15, l. 3. If ὅπως were used instead of ἐξ ὧν, we should have the common construction after σκοπεῖν (G. § 45).]
- 20. τοῦν στρατοπέδοιν, the two armies. The reference is to the Cyprian war. Evagoras, prince of Salamis, endeavored to make himself master of the whole island. The war consequent upon his revolt lasted from B. C. 386 to B. C. 376. Artaxerxes carried it on with the assistance of an army chiefly of Ionian Greeks. The forces of Evagoras also consisted of Greeks. Evagoras was assassinated B. C. 374. See Diod. Sic. XV. 2; also Thirlwall, Vol. V. p. 436 seqq., and VI. p. 121 seqq.

Page 42, l. 1. &ν ἐπόρθουν, would be plundering. See Kühner, § 260 (2), and G. § 49, 2. — For the omission of ar with ἐκινδύνευον, see G. § 42, 4.

- 7. μέλλει, i. e. ἔχειν. See Soph. Gr. Gr., § 222. n.; also Matt. § 498.
 - 12. οὖτω κυρίως, so absolutely.
- 18, 19. πολλάς...πεποίηται. The force of the article τάς here is, the revolutions which; the middle πεποίηται, which Coray thought should be changed into the active, has, as Bremi remarks, a reflexive signification; not simply that he has made the revolutions, which would be the sense of the active, but has caused them to be effected for his own advantage, or to promote his own designs.
- 21. ἐν ταραχαῖς ἄν, being in disorders. The Persian empire was disturbed by seditions and revolts, particularly by the revolt of Evagoras.
- 22. ἢ που, surely. See Kühner, § 316, 2. εὶ ἔσται, G. § 49, 1, n. 3.
 - 23. oran, G. § 61, 3.
- 24. καὶ γνώμης, and shall be brought under the control of one will.
- 26. Οὐ μὴν οὐδ'. For a full explanation of these negative particles, see Kühner, Gr. Gr., § 318.
- Page 43, l. 1-7. El... $\dot{\rho}\dot{\omega}\mu\eta s$. Observe the careful co-ordination of the sentences. El $\mu\dot{\epsilon}\nu$ corresponds with $\dot{\epsilon}l$ $\delta\dot{\epsilon}$; again, ϵl in the protasis corresponds with $\dot{\epsilon}\nu$ in the apodosis, both being constructed with the imperfect indicative (see Kühner, § 339 (b)); $\mu\dot{\epsilon}\nu$, in line 4, corresponds with $\dot{\delta}$; and, finally, note the antithesis between $\tau o \hat{i} s$ $\dot{\epsilon} \tau \dot{\epsilon} \rho o \iota s$, line 5, and $\theta \dot{\epsilon} \tau \dot{\epsilon} \rho \dot{\epsilon}$, line 6.
- 8, 9. πολλάκις ἐποίησαν, G. § 30, 1, n. 1. τὰς ῥοπάς. For the force of the article, see above, note to p. 42, l. 18, 19. Χίων. Chios had but a small naval force; the example is adduced merely to illustrate the general remark in the previous clause.
- 10, 11. βουληθεῖεν, G. § 62. The leading verb ħσαν expresses a general fact.
 - 14. ὑπὲρ αὑτοῦ, on his own account, for himself.

- 15. ἀποστάσης Αλγύπτου. G. § 109, 1. The relations between Egypt and Persia are not easily explained in all their details. Cambyses conquered Egypt B. C. 525. It had revolted B. C. 486, and been reconquered by Xerxes B. C. 484. Another revolt broke out B. C. 460, and the war lasted six years. Before the Cyprian war, an expedition had been sent under Abrocomas, Tithraustes, and Pharnabazus; but so unsuccessful was the attempt, that, in the words of Thirlwall (Vol. VI. p. 125), "The Egyptian prince was encouraged to act on the offensive, and to aim at extending his dominion over other provinces of the empire."
 - 20. τελευτώντες, G. § 109, n. 8.
- 21, 22. την έλευθερίαν άγαπαν, to be content with liberty. See Kühner, Gr. Gr., § 274, R. 1.
- 24. ἐπ' Εὐαγόραν στρατεύσας, having gone, with his forces, against Evagoras. This refers to the Cyprian war, so often spoken of.
- 24, 25. ἄρχει μὲν μιᾶs πόλεωs, rules one city, i. e. Salamis. ἔκδοτος, given up; i. e. not included in the treaty of Antalcidas, but surrendered to the Persian king; the island of Cyprus being, according to Xenophon, one of the islands claimed by the Persian king (Hellenica, V. 1. 31).
- 26, 27. προδεδυστύχηκεν, has been previously unsuccessful. He had been defeated in a sea-fight by the Persians.
- Page 44, l. 8-21. 'Er de evirgour. It has been already mentioned, that, after the defeat of the Athenians at Aegos Potamoi, Conon took refuge with Evagoras in Cyprus, where he remained several years watching the progress of events. (See note on p. 37, l. 16.) He appears to have engaged in the king's service, after some preliminary negotiations, to have raised a fleet, and to have acted as the king's admiral. During the campaigns of Agesilaus, he seems to have remained inactive, probably for want of money and supplies. "Diodorus distinctly relates, that he left the fleet in the care of two Athenians, named Hierony-

mus and Nicodemus, while he himself went up to Babylon. where he had an interview with Artaxerxes, who granted all his requests, and at his own desire appointed Pharnabazus his colleague. Pharnabazus appears to have taken command of the Phoenician galleys; the Greek squadron remained under the immediate orders of Conon. sailed westward along the coast of Syria, Conon's squadron being some way ahead, they fell in with Peisander, coming According to Diodorus, his fleet consisted from Cnidus. of eighty-five galleys, and that of the enemy amounted altogether to no more than ninety. But Xenophon informs us that Conon's squadron alone was so much stronger than Peisander's fleet, as to spread dismay among the enemy. and that on his approach many of the allies in the left wing of the Peloponnesians immediately took to flight. rest were driven on shore, where Peisander, remaining with his ship to the last, fell, Spartan-like, sword in hand." Thirlwall, Vol. IV. pp. 412, 413. This defeat of the Spartans, by the combined Persian and Greek forces under the command of Conon (B. C. 394), is commonly known as the battle of Cnidus; and this name is adopted into the text by Wolf. But as Rhodes was very near the city of Cnidus, being at a short distance from the coast of Caria, the transaction might with a sufficient degree of geographical correctness be referred to Rhodes. Bremi, citing Ernesti. remarks: "Nihil frequentius esse quam loca vicina permutari in proeliis, quae in plurium locorum vicinia fiunt. Satis hoc novimus vel ex recentissimorum bellorum memoria."

9, 10. τὴν χαλεπότητα τῶν πολιτειῶν, the irksomeness of the forms of government; i. e. the uncongenial and oppressive character of the institutions established by the Spartans. — ταῖς ὑπηρεσίαις, the succors, those alluded to above.

12, 13. πιστότατος δὲ τοῖς Ἑλλησιν, most faithful to the Greeks. As Bremi says, there is some apparent incongru-

ity in thus describing Conon, however deserving he may be of this epithet: "Quum nonnisi de iis praeclari hominis virtutibus sermo sit, quae in regis Persarum utilitatem et honorem cedebant." But the orator means to describe the whole policy of the Spartans as averse to the best interests of the Greeks; and Conon, in opposing them, even by aiding the Persians, showed his fidelity to those interests; and the greater his fidelity to the Greeks, the more persevering would be his efforts in supporting the king's quarrel with the Spartans; and yet, with so zealous a co-operator, the Persian king was obliged to see his fleet hemmed in by only a hundred galleys for the space of three years, and to keep back the soldiers' pay for fifteen months.

16. πολιορκούμενον after περιείδε, G. § 112, 1. See note on p. 30, l. 20.

18, 19. [The protasis to διελύθησαν αν is found in τὸ ἐπ ἐκείνφ, if it had depended on him. G. § 52, 1.]

19, 20. τὴν συμμαχίαν τὴν περὶ Κόρινθον συστάσαν. This refers to the confederacy formed against Sparta by the Argives, Thebans, Corinthians, and others. Agesilaus had been recalled to avert the threatened danger. A congress of the anti-Spartan states was assembled at Corinth. While they were debating, however, the Lacedaemonian army, under Aristodemus, the guardian of King Agesipolis, crossed the borders and defeated the allied forces with great slaughter. The news of the victory met Agesilaus at Amphipolis. This was in the same year, B. C. 394, but earlier. The pressing danger spoken of in line 19 is the danger apprehended from this alliance, which led to the recall of Agesilaus.

26. ὡς οὐ χρῶμαι, G. § 34, 3.

Page 45, l. 3. Δερκυλίδας. Dercylidas was ordered from Sparta to the Hellespont, B. C. 411 (see Thirlwall, Vol. IV. p. 41 seqq.). He was despatched, B. C. 399, to supersede Thibron in the command of the army against Persia. In

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Aeolis, he gained possession of nine cities in eight days. He was one of three commissioners to ratify the armistice with Tissaphernes, B. C. 396, after which he returned to Sparta. He was appointed, B. C. 394, to carry the news of the battle of Corinth to Agesilaus, whom he met at Amphipolis, and by whom he was sent to convey the intelligence to the Asiatic Greeks. "This service, Xenophon says, he gladly undertook, for he liked to be absent from home, — a feeling possibly arising from the mortifications to which, as an unmarried man, he was subjected at Sparta." Smith's Dictionary of Gr. and Rom. Antiq.

- 4. Δράκων. This was an Achaean of Pellene, who occupied Atarneus, after Dercylidas had reduced it by a siege of eight months, B. C. 398. From this point he ravaged the Mysian plain with three thousand targetiers. See Xenophon's Hellenica, III. 2. § 11. Atarneus was in Aeolis, just opposite to Lesbos.
- 4-9. [ἐπῆρχε is regularly retained after ὅτι, although the leading verb is past, for want of an imperfect optative: G. § 70, 2, n. 1. On the other hand, ἐποίησεν, ἐπόρθησαν, and ἐκράτησεν might have been put in the acrist optative.]
- Θίβρων. Thibron, or Thimbron, commanded in Asia,
 B. C. 399. He was succeeded, as stated above, by Dercylidas. See Xenophon, Hellen. III. 1. 6, Anab. VII. 6. 1.
 See, also, Thirlwall, Vol. IV. p. 360 seqq.
- 7-9. 'Αγησίλαος ἐκράτησεν. The expedition of Cyrus, which is the subject of one of the best-known and most interesting works of Xenophon, took place B. C. 401. The army was defeated in the battle of Cunaxa, and the retreat was accomplished B. C. 400. The remains of the Grecian troops, who succeeded in reaching the coast under the command of Xenophon, joined King Agesilaus in the war which he was then waging against the Persians.
- 13. τῶν συναναβάντων, those who went up with Cyrus;
 i. e. who accompanied him in the expedition referred to in

the preceding note. — fores, in indirect discourse after enedelyongay, G. § 113.

The remainder of this paragraph alludes to the incidents which happened after the battle of Cunaxa, and in the retreat so well described by Xenophon. Isocrates makes the number of Greeks six thousand, differing from Xenophon, who, as is well known, states it to have been ten thousand. See Xenophon's Anabasis, passim.

15, 16. [στασιάζειν and βούλεσθαι are in the imperfect infinitive (G. § 15, 3) after $\tau i\theta \eta \mu$, which here signifies, I grant. See G. § 15, 2, n. 1.]

Page 46, l. 4. ώς εἰ τοῦτο παρανομήσειε συνταράξων. For the participle with ώς, see G. § 109, 5, n. 4; and for the protasis, G. § 74, 1. [In the latter, ἐὰν παρανομήση, the form that would have been used in the direct discourse, might have been retained.]

- 11. [ώσπερανεὶ προπεμπόμενοι (i. e. ώσπερ αν επορεύθησαν εἰ προυπέμποντο). G. § 42, 3, n. 2.]
- 12, 13. τὴν χώρας. For this idiomatic construction, see above, p. 118, note to p. 41, l. 6.
- 14, 15. [μέγιστον νομίζοντες, εἰ ἐντύχοιεν. The apodosis to εἰ ἐντύχοιεν is in the ἔσεσθαι implied after νομίζοντες. In the direct discourse the protasis would be ἐὰν ἐντύχωμεν, and ἐὰν ἐντύχωσιν might therefore have been used here. G. § 74, 1. Compare note on line 4, above.]
- 17, 18. κατέβησαν, came down; i. e. returned to the coast from the interior. For the force of the preposition κατά, and ἀνά, in συναναβάντων (l. 13), see Kühner, §§ 290 292; also an excellent article on Greek Prepositions in the N. A. Review, No. CXXXV., pp. 376 379.
 - 19, 20. ἐπιδεδεῖχθαι, G. § 18, 3; § 73, 1.
- 24. ὑπ' αὐτοῖς τοῖς βασιλείοις, under the very palace. The expedition of Cyrus came near reaching the capital; and but for the fall of Cyrus, the army would have been victorious. Xen. Anab. II. 4. 4;— ἡμεῖς ἐνικῶμεν τὴν βασιλέως

δύναμιν ἐπὶ ταῖς θύραις αὐτοῦ, we were conquering the king's army at his very gates. — τελευτώντες, G. § 109, n. 8.

The following paragraph describes the leading features of Oriental life. The manners and customs of the Persians, Isocrates argues, are such as must naturally lead to the results he has enumerated, in collisions with the manlier race of the Greeks; and an able general or brave soldier could not be formed under the influence of their modes of life.

Page 47, l. 5. ων ἐστιν, G. § 59, n. 2.

- 11. ὑβρίζοντες, G. § 109, 3.
- 12. ως αν διαφθαρείεν, G. § 52, 2.
- 15. ἐξεταζόμενοι, proving themselves, or exhibiting themselves; i. e. by their constant attendance at the palace, and their slavish manners, displaying their baseness and pusilanimity. In Athenian law, ἐξετάζειν has the technical meaning of to investigate, especially by the torture of slaves. Hence Bremi thinks ἐξεταζόμενοι has, in this passage, a metaphorical signification, vexati. It also signifies being reviewed, or mustered, like soldiers.
- 20. oi θάλατταν, those of them who came down to the sea; i. e. the satraps sent down from the capital to assume the government of the provinces in Asia Minor.
- 21. ἐκεῖ, there; i. e. at the capital. Observe, in what follows, the careful connection of the clauses by the particles μέν and δέ.
- 26-Page~48,~l.~1. This refers to the transactions that followed immediately after the battle of Sardis, B. C. 395. Tissaphernes, the Persian satrap, was outgeneralled by Agesilaus, and induced to remain in the valley of the Maeander. Agesilaus marched directly upon Sardis, and, meeting the portion of the Persian army stationed there, defeated them in a great battle. Tissaphernes was charged with treachery, and Tithraustes was sent down to supersede him and to put him to death. The sentence was executed by an underling, who found Tissaphernes in

- the bath. Tithraustes then sent envoys to treat with the Spartan general, proposing that he (Agesilaus) should now return home, since Tissaphernes, whom he (Tithraustes) affected to regard as the common enemy, was dead. Agesilaus replied, that he could not take such a step without the authority of the government at Sparta. Tithraustes then proposed that the Lacedaemonian general should spend the intervening time in invading the satrapy of Pharnabazus. The proposition was accepted, on condition that Tithraustes paid the expenses. The satrap advanced thirty talents, which, according to Isocrates, supported the army eight months. See Thirlwall, IV. p. 389 seqq.
- 1, 2. ἐτέρου ἀπεστέρησαν, and deprived those who were fighting in their defence of their wages for twice that length of time. ἐτέρου τοσούτου, not another equal length of time, which would of course be eight months; but the expression is analogous to such phrases as τέταρτον ἡμιτάλαντον, which means, not the fourth half-talent, i. e. two talents, but three talents and a half; the three talents being implied in the τέταρτον (see Matthiae, Gr. Gr., Vol. I. p. 233). So, in ἐτέρου τοσούτου, the one time of equal duration is implied by ἐτέρου, the other, or second, time. The precise time has been before stated as fifteen months.
- 3. Κισθήνην. Harpocration and Suidas speak of it as a mountain in Thrace. Wolf calls it a city in Aeolis; others, a city in Mysia. It was probably a city in Aeolis, with a harbor near it. See Strabo, p. 607. The event alluded to here is no further known.
- 4. τοὺς στρατευσαμένους, those who served with them against Cyprus; i. e. the Ionian Greeks who shared in the expedition against Evagoras. See above, p. 118, note to p. 41, l. 20.
 - 5. ώς άπλως είπεω, G. § 100
- 9-11. Κόνωνα ἐτόλμησαν. Conon's fate is differently related by different authors. It will be remembered, that,

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after the battle of Aegos Potamoi, he fled to Evagoras; then entered the service of Persia against the Spartans. After the battle of Cnidus, he returned to Athens, and superintended the rebuilding of the walls, which had been taken down at the close of the Peloponnesian war, by direction of Lysander, and distributed fifty talents among the citizens. According to Nepos, he had formed the design of restoring Aeolis and Ionia to the Athenians. Tiribazus pretended that he desired to send Conon to the king on important business. On arriving at the capital, he was seized and thrown into prison. Others state that he went up to the king, and was treacherously seized and put to death. See Cornelius Nepos, Conon, c. IV. V., and Thirlwall, Vol. IV. p. 434.

11-13. Θεμιστοκλέα..., ἡξίωσαν. Themistocles, having rendered most important services to Athens in the Persian war, was ostracized, and went into exile, and, after wandering to Argos, Corcyra, Molossia, and Ephesus, was finally compelled to take refuge in Persia. He arrived at the capital just after the death of Xerxes, B.C. 465, and was received at the Persian court with the most distinguished honors. See Thirlwall, Vol. II. p. 383 seqq., Cornelius Nepos, Themistocles, c. VIII.-X.

17. ἐπιβουλεύοντες, G. § 112, 1.

18-21. Τί.... ἐτόλμησαν. All this refers to the outrages committed by the Persians, in their invasion of Attica. See Herodotus, VIII. c. 24 seqq.

22-24. Διδ....βουληθεῖεν. The reading *Ιωνας is doubtful here. According to Diodorus Siculus (XI. 29), an oath to this effect was taken by the Greeks at the Isthmus, before the battle of Plataea, B. C. 479. In the oration of Lycurgus against Leocrates, the formula of the oath is preserved,—"that they would not prefer life to liberty; would not desert their commanders, living or dead; that they would bury those of the allies who fell in battle; that they would rebuild none of the temples burned and levelled

by the Barbarian, but would leave them to be a memorial to posterity of Persian impiety." The circumstance is not mentioned by Herodotus. — For the protasis, εὶ κινήσειαν ἡ βουληθεῖεν, see G. § 77, 1; [the aorist subjunctive might have been used.]

25, 26. [πόθεν ἐπισκευάσωσιν. The subjunctive is retained from the direct question; G. § 88; § 71.— ΐνα ἢ, G. § 44, 2: so πιστεύη and the following subjunctives.]

Page 49, l. 7. ἠπειρώταις, inhabitants of the continent; i. c. Asiatics or Persians.

- 8. δταν πάσχωσι, G. § 62.
- 10. μηδισμού θάνατον κατέγνωσαν. καταγιγνώσκω is often constructed, as here, with the accusative of the penalty, the genitive of the crime, and the genitive of the criminal,—passed sentence of death on many for favoring the Persians; a crime called Medism (μηδισμός).
- 12. χρηματίζειν, to transact business. It is a technical term, frequently occurring in the orators, when speaking of the business brought before the Senate and the Assembly. See Demosthenes de Corona, passim.— ἐπικηρυκεύεται, sends heralds; i. e. for the purpose of friendly negotiation and reconciliation. G. § 53, n. 2. This ceremony will remind the reader of the solemn imprecations uttered in former times by the Pope against the Turks and eclipses.
- 13, 14. Εὐμολπίδαι μυστηρίων. For an account of the Eleusinian initiations, and the Eumolpids, see above, pp. 72-74, and p. 90. The κήρυκες particularly referred to here were a family who held the office of heralds in the Eleusinian mysteries, inheriting the dignity from ancient mythical times. Xenophon (Hellen. II. 4. 13) has τῶν Μυστῶν κήρυξ. Diodorus Siculus compares these classes with the Egyptian priesthood (I. 29).
- 21. υμνους, hymns, songs of triumph. The word signifies either songs composed for special occasions, or the stated chanting of poetical compositions, at festivals, by the rhap-

- sodists. At Athens, it was ordained that the Homeric poems should be delivered in regular order at the Panathenaic festival.
- 22. θρήνους. The Threnes were poems of the character of dirges. See History of Greek Literature, by K. O. Müller.
- 25-27. [λαβεῖν and βουληθῆναι are in indirect discourse after οἶναι, and therefore preserve their force as aorists, referring to past time. G. § 23, 2. Compare these with ποιῆσαι (G. § 23, 1), which refers to no definite time.]
- Page 50, l. 1. rois.... dolors, in the contests of music. The musical contests, in the more limited sense of the word, were those in which prizes for excellence in the musical art were awarded. But under the term music the Athenians included whatever belonged to a polite and liberal education; i. e. all their intellectual discipline. The poems of Homer were much used as the groundwork of early education in the Athenian schools, and large portions of them were committed to memory by the Athenian youth. Plato, however, disapproved of this, and banished the old poet from his republic, on account of the morals and manners which he attributes to the gods. See "Classical Studies," by Sears, Edwards, and Felton, pp. 325-341.
- 3-5. [The two subjunctives after iva depend on a secondary tense (G. § 35, 2), and are to be explained on the principle of indirect discourse. See note on page 30, line 16.]
- 8. δ παρὰν καιρός, the present opportunity. The favorable circumstances to which Isocrates refers were:—1. The revolt of Egypt, which called off a part of the Persian forces. 2. The war of Cyprus, now in its sixth year, which consumed many of the king's resources. 3. According to Diodorus Siculus (XV. 2), Evagoras held by military occupation several places in Phoenicia; Syria was probably in much the same condition. Tyre was the most important

and wealthy commercial metropolis, nearly opposite Cvprus, and therefore likely to be deeply affected by the movements of the island. 4. Many cities in Cilicia were held by those who were favorably inclined to the Athenians, and Lycia had never been under the Persian power. 5. Hecatomnos, the satrap of Caria (Diod. Sic. XV. 2), in the war with Evagoras, secretly co-operated with him, and aided him with large supplies of money for the support of his armies. 6. From Cnidus to Sinope, that is, from the Triopian promontory, at the southwestern corner of Caria, to the northern side of Paphlagonia, on the Euxine Sea. - a line extending from the southwestern extremity of Asia Minor along the whole western coast, thence along the Propontis and the greater part of the Euxine Sea. — there dwelt a Hellenic population who required to be restrained from hostilities, rather than to be urged to engage in the war.

- 9. ἀφετέον, G. § 114, 2.
- 11. μέλλοντες (i. e. εἰ μέλλοιμεν), G. § 52, 1.
- 21. όταν βουληθώμεν, G. § 61, 3.
- 25. τοσούτου πολέμου, so great a war, i. e. as we, the Greeks, might, under such circumstances, wage against Persia. The participles here express supposition. G. § 109, 6.

Page 51, l. 3-6. Ear κατάσχη, τάχ αν ἀποκλίναιεν. [A mixed construction, with a second protasis implied in the latter clause.] G. § 54, 1 (a).

- 7. aὐτάs, them; i. e. the cities on the coast.
- 9. ἐπί, in the power, or at the service of.
- 13. ὑστερίσωντες.... βαρβάρων, having been behindhand with the Barbarians; i. e. letting the Persians get the start of them, instead of invading Persia; whereby the Persians were enabled to force into their service many of the Greeks, namely, the Ionians, and those who were conquered by the Persians before the battle of Marathon. See Herod. IV. 89-104.

- 15. ἐξόν, G. § 110, 2.
- 17. ἐν μέρει, by turns, or in succession.
- 18. ὅταν πολεμῆ, G. § 62.
- 20. ἔως ἀν ἐπιστῶσιν, until they may have become concentrated. G. § 66, 2.
- 24, 25. φθηναι.... έγκαταστήσαντες. See above, pp. 94 (note to p. 25, l. 3), 96 (note to p. 27, l. 20).
- 26. ἢπειρωτῶν, the inhabitants of the continent; i. c. the Asiatic continent, who, as Isocrates urges, obey the Persian king only on compulsion, because he is constantly surrounded by a force superior to each of the various nations that constitute his empire.
- Page 52, l. 1, 2. ὅταν διαβιβάσωμεν, G. § 61, 3. ὅ. For the construction of the relative where the antecedent is a sentence, see Soph. Gr. Gr., § 172. 1. c. βουληθέντες (= εἰ βουληθεῖμεν), G. § 52, 1.
 - 6. ἐπὶ ἡλικίας, in the present age.
 - 13-18. ωστε ἀποθνήσκειν, G. § 98, 1.
- 20. συγκειμέναις, put together, set forth in fictitious composition; especial allusion being made to the Attic tragedies.
 - 23. &στε χαίρουσιν, G. § 65, 3.
- 26. δυστυχίας ἀνδρῶν, misfortunes of men; i. e. of individuals, or small numbers, when cities and states are subverted. εἰ ὀδυροίμην, G. § 50, 2.
- 27. ἀνάστατος. According to Isocrates (De Pace, § 99), the Lacedaemonians, after they had acquired the supremacy, set about overthrowing the constitutional governments in the Greek cities of Italy and Sicily, and establishing tyrannies in their place. Dionysius, the tyrant of Sicily, also received the aid of the Spartans in his attempts to subject to his power the Greeks of Sicily and Italy. The disastrous expedition of the Athenians to Sicily, in the Peloponnesian war, is well known. It took place B. C. 415. The Athenians were utterly defeated, some put to death, and others

sold for slaves, B. C. 413. See the masterly narrative of Thucydides, VI. and VII.

Page 53, l. 7-10. ἐχρῆν συμβουλεύειν, G. § 49, 2, n. 3. — εἰσηγεῖσθαι, to introduce the subject. The word is technically used of taking the initiative in public measures.

- 11. συνεπέραναν ἄν, G. § 52, 2. For the following protasis and apodosis, see G. § 49, 2.
- 17. Οὐ μὴν ἀλλ'. An elliptical expression, signifying, This indeed is not all, but, &c. It may be rendered in such places, But surely. See Kühner, Gr., § 323, R. 11.
 - 19. σκοπείν όπως ἀπαλλαγησόμεθα, G. § 45.
- 26, 27. ἐξ ων οἰκήσομεν καὶ διακεισόμεθα, G. § 65, 1. See note on p. 15, 1. 3.

Page 54, l. 4. $\pi\rho l\nu$ d ν $\pi o i \eta \sigma \omega \mu \epsilon \theta a$, G. § 67, l. [The analogy of this clause with the protasis, $\hat{\eta}\nu$ $\mu\hat{\eta}$ $\pi o \lambda \epsilon \mu \hat{\eta}\sigma \omega \mu \epsilon \nu$, above, will be noticed.]

- 12. περὶ παντὸς ποιητέον, it is our duty to make it of the greatest account; we must consider it of the first importance. See Matt. Gr. Gr., § 589; G. § 114, 2.
- 12, 13. ὅπως διοριοῦμεν, G. § 45. [ώς, as a causal particle, since; it here introduces a conditional sentence, instead of a simple verb in the indicative; G. § 81, n. 2.]
- 18. τὰς συνθήκας, the compacts; i. e. the terms of the peace of Antalcidas.
- 21. [ως τυχοῦσαι, since (as they themselves know) they have gained this through him. G. § 109, n. 4. 'Ως implies that the cause was the one assigned by the states themselves for their gratitude to the king, not, however, implying that Isocrates doubted that it was the real cause.]

Page 55, l. 7. ἐν ταῖς στήλαις, on the columns; i. e. those on which the terms of the treaty were inscribed.

- 9. $\tau a \hat{v} \tau a$ dé. For the particle dé, see above, p. 65, note to p. 3, l. 6. 1
 - 10. χρην αναιρείν, G. § 49, 2, n. 3.
 - 18 15. αΐτινες αν έχωσι, G. § 62. [Instead of τα έλατ-

τοῦντα, he might have used å αν έλαττοῖ, or å έλαττοῖ (Ind.). G. § 52, 1.]

- 16. τῶν πρεσβευσάντων, those who negotiated; literally, those who served as ambassadors.
 - 19 23. ἐχρῆν συγγράφεσθαι, G. § 49, 2, n. 3.
- 21. ὑπὸ τὴν εἰρήνην, just about the time of the peace. For this sense of ὑπό, see Kühner, Gr. Gr., § 299, III. (2).
 - 23. συγγράφεσθαι, to come to terms.
- 26, 27. [ώς ἐπὲρ ἐκείνου πολεμησάντων. Most later editions read ὅσπερ, which certainly seems to be required, although the weight of manuscript authority is in favor of ώς. (See G. § 110, 1, n. 1, and the example from Isocrates there quoted.) If ὡς is retained, it must be understood in the sense of ὡσπερ, the construction being, ὡς ἐκείνον ἀν κατέστησαν, εἰ ὑπὲρ ἐκείνου ἐπολεμήσατε ὑμεῖς. So with the other participles, καθεστηκυίας, κατοικούντων, ἐχόντων, and δυναστεύοντων, which represent protases in the pluperfect and imperfect indicative respectively (G. § 52, 1). See note on p. 56, l. 10-12, below.]

Page 56, l. 8. κόσμφ, heaven. Originally, order, system; then, the universe; here, = οὐρανφ̂.

- 10-12. [ὥσπερ νεμόμενος, ἀλλ' οὐ ποιούμενος (i. e. ὅσπερ ἀν εἰλήφει, εἰ πρὸς Δία ἐνέμετο ἀλλ' οὐ πρὸς ἀνθρώπους ἐποιεῖτο). For the negative οὐ with ποιούμενος, which might here be retained even in protasis with εἰ, see G. § 47, 3, note, and especially the last examples. The same principle applies to οὐκ ἐχόντων, p. 56, l. 2; see note on p. 55, l. 26.]
 - 17. καθ όλης της Έλλάδος, at the expense of all Greece.
 - 18, 19. δπως ληψόμεθα, G. § 45.
- 26. $\pi \rho l \nu \dots \epsilon \pi o l \eta \sigma a \nu$. The indicative after $\pi \rho l \nu$ states the fact positively, as having historically occurred. G. § 67, 1.

Page 57, 1. 3. $\theta \epsilon \omega \rho i a$, a festival deputation, such as was sent to represent the Grecian states at the great national

games. See above, p. 81, note to p. 15, l. 5. What the orator means is, that the war against Persia will rather resemble a splendid and showy procession, sent to participate in a national festivity, than the hard service of a military invasion.

- 9, 10. πολλαχοῦ ἄν τις λογιζόμενος εὔροι. Here λογιζόμενος represents εἰ λογίζοιτο, G. § 52, 1. λυσιτελούσας, G. § 113.
- 19. $\pi\epsilon\rho\iota\beta\epsilon\beta\lambda\eta\mu\acute{\epsilon}rois$, who have encompassed themselves with.

Page 58, l. 1. καταλέγοντες, by levying. See Kühner, Gr. Gr., § 312.

- 16. τεύξεσθαι, G. § 27, n. 3. [Προσδοκάω, like ἐλπίζω and similar verbs, may be followed by the present and aorist infinitive, as well as by the future.]
 - 25. τοῦ μεγέθους. See Soph. Gr. Gr., § 199.
 - 27. δσης αν τύχοιμεν, εί ποιησαίμεθα, G. § 72; § 76.

Page 59, 1. 7-9. τοὺς δὲ.... γράφοντας, and those who engage in contests of arguments, to cease writing upon questions of deposit and other trifling matters; alluding to the numerous cases of litigation upon common business transactions which occupied the talents of the orators, when, in the opinion of Isocrates, they might have been much better employed in stirring up their countrymen to put an end to their domestic feuds, and to unite for the subjugation of Persia. Genitive λόγων with ἀμφισβητοῦντας, with respect of, the subject of, &c.

10-12. σκοπείν δπως έροῦσιν, G. § 45.

14 — 17. ἐξ δν ... ἐπιδώσει ... ἀπαλλαγήσονται ... δόξουσιν, G. § 65, 1. See note on p. 15, l. 3.

Additional Note to page 15, lines 2 and 3.

The peculiar use of the subjunctive in ξχειν έφ' οις φιλοτιμηθῶσιν may perhaps be explained by the analogy of the common construction, οὐκ ἔχω τί (or ὅ τι) εἶπω, non habeo quid dicam, where the indirect question is obvious. The transition from οὐκ ἔνω ὅ τι εἶπω to ἔνω ὅ τι εἶπω might be easily made, although in the latter all trace of the indirect question disappears. Other similar examples are cited by Krüger (Gr. Gr. § 54, 7, A. 2), in all of which the leading verb is ἔχω· These are Plat. Symp. p. 194 D, ἐὰν μόνον έχη ότω διαλέγηται, and Xen. Oecon. 7, 20, έξειν δ τι elσφέρωσιν. In Plat. Phaedr. p. 255 E, and Lys. in Andoc. § 42, we have the same construction, if we accept Bekker's emendation ὅ τι λέγη for ὅ τι λέγει, which the sense seems to require. Compare also Plat. Ion. p. 535 B, where we find ἀπορείς ὅ τι λέγης and εὐπορείς ὅ τι λέγης in the same sentence; here the transition is especially simple. Even if we explain εὐπορεῖς ὅ τι λέγης as an indirect question, it seems a perversion of language to apply that name to the others, as Krüger does. Of course, these remarks will not apply to the doubtful example from Thucyd. VII. 25, discussed in the note, or to the cases of the optative there quoted.

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